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BLOOD IN BERLIN.

WORKINGMEN AROUSED TO FEVER HEAT BY THE

Speech of Emperor William—Four Thousand Unemployed Men March to the Gates of the Castle—Finally Dispersed by Soldiers and Police.

BERLIN, Feb. 27.—The emperor's speech to the members of the Brankenburg diet, who banqueted him, has caused a sensation.

An instance of the heated passions of the masses was explified here. A body of 3000 or 4000 unemployed men met by preconcerted arrangement in a public square and passed a series of inflammatory resolutions denouncing the employers and the system of government which enabled the latter to crush the workingman beneath the iron heel of capital and calling upon the government to take steps to protect the interests of the working classes.

The news of this bold gathering in defiance of the recent order of the authorities prohibiting such meetings, spread with rapidity all over the city.

The result was that social agitators determined to take advantage of the excited unemployed men to make a demonstration before the castle of the emperor. Led by the socialist agitators the workmen formed in column and marched from the square mentioned in the direction of Unter den Linden, the most celebrated avenue in Berlin.

The onward sweep of workmen was at first irrisistible. The police were utterly unable to cope with that roaring, swelling, enthusiastic crowd, encouraged by thousands of other persons who watched their progress through the streets.

On arriving beneath the statute of Frederick the Great, a halt was made and a socialist leader made a passionate address to the throng, urging them to carry their demonstration up to the gates of the castle. Loud cheers greeted the suggestion and then at a signal from a prominent socialist leader, who seemed to be the chosen leader, the workingmen began singing the "Marseilles" and marched, cheered by thousands who had gathered in the broad avenue to witness the demonstration toward the castle. The workingmen, passing through a line of police which had barred their passage, had nearly reached the castle gates when a strong detachment of police threw themselves across the short portion of the thoroughfare intervening between the rioters and the castle and made a determined charge upon the workingmen's column. The latter for a moment or so, nerved by the roaring cheers of thousands, bravely and stubbornly withstood the attack of the police and pressed onward by those in the rear actually managed to gain headway and beat back the powerful police detachment. The latter, however, rallied and hitting furiously right and left, wounded scores of workingmen, who fell bleeding beneath the feet of the officers of the law. Somebody among the workingmen called upon them to retreat and come again some other day 100,000 strong and prepared to meet the emperor's butchers as they called them.

A retreat then commenced and soon developed into a flight and panic. The police after taking from 80 to 100 prisoners seemed content to allow the remainder to escape. The sixty or seventy wounded rioters who remained upon the field of battle were attended to at a neighborhood hospital and the regular prisoners were placed under lock and key.

Guilty of Manslaughter.

BELFAST, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Annie Margaret Montague, wife of Robert Montague of Colerain, county Londonderry, and daughter-in-law of Lord Montague, who Feb. 16 was held by the coroner's jury as being responsible for the death of her 3-year-old daughter was brought here for further hearing and she was found guilty of manslaughter.

His Paramour on the Stand.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Feb. 27.—The famous Dr. Baker is on trial for wife poisoning. Mrs. Gilmore, who was charged with being the paramour of Dr. Baker and accessory to the awful crime, made a damaging admission on the witness stand. The indictment against her was quashed last term of court. Mrs. Gilmore was asked: "On the day after Dr. Baker buried his wife and came to see you what did he say? How did he look? What were his actions?"

Mrs. Gilmore refused to answer. She said to answer that question would be to bring disgrace down upon her. Then a discussion among the lawyers began, which lasted quite a while. The judge finally ruled that she must answer, and she burst into sobs, but responded: "He took me in his arms, caressed me and said: 'Oh, my darling, you are mine forever.'"

At this point she was taken very sick and had to be removed from the court-room.

Moonshiners Raided.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 27.—The deputy marshals of Cleburne county have just returned from raiding a moonshiner's den and bringing back five of the gang. The establishment was one of the largest of the kind on record. Three large stills were in full blast. A fourteen horse power engine furnished motive power. Two hundred gallons of whisky and 10,000 gallons of beer and stock of supplies were captured and destroyed. The moonshiners had a regular arsenal in a cottage near by where fourteen pistols, several guns and ammunition were found.

Fighting Dates Changed.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—The Metropolitan club, ont of consideration for strangers who will be present during the coming carnival festivities, has concluded to change the date of the Needham-Ryan championship glove contest from March 2 to Feb. 29. Ryan and Needham are in great form.

The Fitzsimmon-Maher fight takes place before the Olympic club of this city on March 9.

All for a Third Party.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 24.—The Reform Press association held an open session at which there was a much more numerous attendance. Most of the session was consumed in discussing and denouncing the National Union company as being connected with or backed by the cordage trust. A committee of five was appointed to investigate the whole subject and report at the afternoon session. The rest of the time was taken up with addresses by Colonel L. L. Polk, General Weaver, A. J. Streeter of Illinois and Ignatius Donnelly. All took ground in favor of a third party.

— SLAPPED HIS FACE.

That's What Garza's Father-in-Law Charges Against Bourke.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 29.—Alexander Gonzales, the father-in-law of Catarino Garza, arrived here from Palito Blanco and in company with his consul, Robert Summerlin, went to Deputy United States Masshal Kilgore, where Gonzales surrendered. He then furnished a $1000 bond to answer the charge of violation of the neutrality laws, his sureties being Alino Canalas and Robert Summerlin. He stated that he had never given his son-in-law any succor or sympathy and was himself a law abiding citizen of the United States. All efforts to find from him the whereabouts of Garza were futile. He charges and has made affidavit to the effect that Captain Bourke of the United States troops not only arrested him and held him a prisoner for several days without any warrant or any charge having been preferred against him, but that while Bourke held him in custody a prisoner of the law Bourke slapped his face and heaped other indignities upon him, and he says that he intends to prefer charges against Bourke before the military authorities here. He also charges and says he has the affidavit of the justice of the peace of that section to the effect that Bourke has used the troops to terrorize and abuse the inhabitants of that section.

Ex-Governor Hubbard Talks.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 29.—Ex-Governor Hubbard of Texas who was minister to Japan was interviewed before leaving for home regarding Texas politics, he said Hogg's administration had disappointed people and the next convention would either nominate George Clarke of Waco or some dark horse. Texas was tired of the views and policies Hogg had fastened upon the people. Texas had ceased to be an uncivilized state, she was the peer of any state in the Union. Clarke would represent the people. Narrow ideas now dominating the state capitol would be dissipated with Clarke in the gubernatorial chair.

How is Texas on the presidential question?

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Lost Half the Bill.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—About a week ago Supervisor French of Brooklyn, in a moment of absentmindedness tore a $50 bill in two by accident, and lost one of the pieces. He forwarded the pieces he retained to Washington and asked for a new bill. He was surprised yesterday by a reply from the treasury department, informing him that the other half of the bill had got there ahead of his and that John Daly was before him with an application for a new bill. French lost no time in securing an interview with Daly, who told him that he found half of the bill in a pile of rubbish in Nostrand avenue and he agreed to withdraw his claim for $20. The supervisor refused to accept these terms and the rival claimants will have to fight it out with the treasury authorities.

A Dallas Man Shot.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., Feb. 29.—G. W. McKee, a painter, shot Earnest Gomer, recently from Dallas three times, one ball entering just below the hip bone and the others struck about the shoulder blade. None of the wounds are serious. McKee claims that Gomer was about to assault him with a heavy club because he would not give him money. McKee has been released on $1000 bond.

Will Open More Lands.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Feb. 29.—Gov. Seay of Oklahoma has received a letter from Secretary Noble which stated a proclamation was being prepared for opening the Cheyenne and Arapahoe lands to settlement. The opening, he said, would take place on or about March 1.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Wednesday.

SENATE—Mr. Sherman, from the committee on foreign relations, reported a resolution requesting the president to inform the senate of the proceedings recently had with the representatives of the Dominion of Canada and the British government as to the arrangements for reciprocal trade with Canada and was agreed to.

HOUSE—The Indian appropsiation bill still continues to be the subject of consideration in the house and is likely to absorb the rest of the week. When the house went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropriation bill Bynum of Indiana occupied the chair. After disposing of forty-six of the sixty pages of the bill the committee rose on motion of Sayers of Texas.—Senate amendments to the census deficiency bill were non-concurred in and a conference committee composed of Sayers, Holman and Dingley ordered.

Thursday.

SENATE—Hale's resolution, calling on Secretary Tracy for copies of the reciprocity agreement under the last tariff act, was taken up and Mr. Vest moved the following amendment: "And the secretary of state also inform the senate whether any steps have been taken by authority to negotiate a reciprocal treaty with Mexico and if so what has been done and what the results. Also that the secretary inform the senate if negotiations have been inaugurated for the purpose aforesaid, and if they were unsuccessful what has been the cause of the failure."

HOUSE—Brown of Indiana, called up the contested election case of Craig vs. Stewart, from the Twenty-fourth district of Pennsylvania. The majority of the committee find in favor of contestant, E. Craig, and minority holds the sitting member entitled to retain his seat.

Friday.

SENATE—The conference report on the census deficiency bill was presented and agreed to.

HOUSE—The Democrats increased their majority on the house by one. This addition to the already overwhelming Democratic majority was by no means necessary to insure their working of party organization, but Andrew Stewart of the twenty-fourth Pennsylvania district was unseated and Alex M. Craig, the Democratic contestant, declared the regularly elected representative. The first vote was on the minority resolution confirming the right of Stewart to the seat and was defeated—yeas 58, nays 180. The majority resolution seating Craig was adopted without division, and Craig appeared at the bar of the house and took the oath of office.—Sayers of Texas submitted the conference report on the urgent deficiency bill and it was agreed to.

EL PASO, TEX., Feb. 29.—Emmigrants are passing through in car-load lots for Eddy, N. M. The Southern Pacific has brought in a large number from Fresno and Calif, and Newman, Russel & Cole's agents for the Pecos Valley have contracted with the Texas and Pacific Railroad company to haul twelve more coaches of families from this city the early part of March. What was once considered a desert is now under irrigation, and thousands of acres have been reclaimed. Emigrants from western Texas, Arizona and New Mexico are pouring into the valley in large numbers.

RELIEF FOR RUSSIANS

MILLIONS OF PEOPLE DYING IN THE LAND OF THE CZAR.

American Donations Are Thankfully Received and Will Be Judiciously Distributed Among the Famishing—Woman Burned to Death.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 29.—Subscriptions made in America for the relief of the famine sufferers in this country are exciting much interest. The relief movements in the northwestern part of the United States and in New York, Philadelphia and Boston, all of which have been reported, are greatly appreciated. All the American contributions will be handled by their agencies, and no fear may be entertained that anything will be devoted to other purposes than those intended by the charitable donors of the welcome gifts.

Mr. Charles Emory Smith, the minister to Russia, has had consultation with leading members of the private charitable organizations here and with government authorities, with all of whom he reached the most satisfactory conclusions regarding the manner in which the funds will be distributed. Up to date there has been received from the United States a sum representing $25,000. Part of this money has been distributed by the relief organization of the British-American church and part by the Jewish relief committee. The first money from the United States arrived here in December. After careful examination Mr. Smith handed most of it to the fund of the British-American church, which has one of the best relief organizations in the empire. Rev. Mr. Francis, pastor of the church, here made a tour of the distressed provinces and has established reliable local relief clubs.

The Society of Friends in the island has subscribed £20,000. Their representative Mr. Brooks, co-operates with the British-American church. He will go to the more remote localities of the provinces in order to relieve, so far as possible, distress before the spring renders the roads impassable. If it is acceptable to the donors the same arrangement will be applied to the food from America.

On the arrival of the steamer Indiana the corn and flour on board of her will be conveyed by rail to the distressed districts free of charge. Several millions of people will have to rely on voluntary gifts. In conversation the American minister said: "You can say to the American donors that their generous gifts will be faithfully applied as they may indicate through reliable agencies, and it will be done with the approval and support of the Russian authorities." Mr. Smith added that he had received a letter from a friend in Samaria saying:

"The many sad sights and misery daily around me are past description. People are dropping daily from hunger, typhus fever and influenza. Thousands must die in the province of Samaria before spring unless immediate help is given them. Three persons have died of starvation in Petroffa in two days. Crowds of starved peasants surround my house all day long appealing to be saved. In every other house there are cases of typhus fever or influenza. The grain is exhausted and nearly all the horses in the vicinity have been sold. An official informs me that there are 200,000 persons who require relief in Samaria alone."

Murdered by Burning.

VIENNA, Feb. 29.—Details of a horrible story have been received in this city, telling of a fiendish act committed, it is alleged, to avenge another terrible crime. A band of masked men whose features were completely concealed collected during the night in the small village of Minan, in the province of Buckawina. They went to the house of a handsome young woman named Mary Loppers, forced their way into a bedroom occupied by the woman and bound her securely with cords. Then they poured a large quantity of petroleum over her, thoroughly saturating her clothes with the fluid. A match was then applied to the oil soaked garments and in an instant the unfortunate woman was enveloped in flames. The poor victim's shrieks and cries were blood curdling, but the terrible agony suffered by the woman as she was roasted to death had little effect in rousing pity in her assailants who watched the woman's cremation. The band stood gazing on this horrible spectacle until the woman's convulsive struggles had ceased and her anguished moans had died away and not one of them stirred from the spot until nothing remained of the woman's body but a black and distorted mass. The murderers then left the place as secretly as they arrived. The motive assigned for the outrage is that the woman was suspected of murdering her husband and it is thought that those who took part in the burning of the woman were friends of the dead man.

Stabbed His Son While Dreaming.

CLEBURNE, Feb. 29.—A cutting affray occurred on south Main street at a wagon yard, in which W. T. J. Burton, a man 50 or 60 years old, almost fatally stabbed his son, John Burton, aged about 30 years. Reports of the affair was conflicting. The elder Burton says he was asleep, and in a frightened dream got up and stabbed his son, thinking he was some one else. John Burton does not talk much about it, but says his father had been drinking to excess and he does not know why he did it. He was cut once in the left side of the neck and once in the left side of the small of the back with a large spring-back pocket knife.

Navares Aprehended.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Feb. 29.—Lorenzo Navarez, the Mexican that seriously cut N. E. Addix last spring, was arrested at Mundango. A hearing in the justice court has been given him, and his bond was fixed at $350 to await the action of the grand jury, in default of which he was remanded to jail.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Charles T. Wills obtained a mechanic's lien on Dr. Talmage's new tabernacle at Brooklyn and then brought an action to foreclose it, and judgment was rendered in his favor for $52,816 on Feb. 10. The judgment was signed by Judge Pratt and will be enforced by a sale of the property at public action.

Sensible Colored Men.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 25.—At a conference of colored people at Tuskegee, it was determined that they can become prosperous, intelligent and rich where they are and wholesale emigration is discouraged.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Items of Interest from All Parts of the Country.

Captain George F. Chase said that Garza was still in Texas, hiding in the dense thickets.

Safe-blowers made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the Farmers' bank in Savannah, Mo.

D. F. Desdunes, colored, tried to enter a car set apart for the whites in Louisiana, and was arrested.

Ex-Mayor Gregier's son makes sensational charges against City Electrician Barrett of Chicago in a suit filed.

Richard Cullen was held for murder and his mother as accessory at Marshfield, Mo. The victim was an orphan boy 4 years old.

Wyman Institute at Alton, Ill., has been sold to Willis Brown of Lawrence, Kas., for $30,000. The present management will be continued.

The Chicago local committee is dissatisfied because it only gets 3000 tickets to the National Democratic convention, the national committee getting the other 12,000.

The Schmit local option bill was defeated in the Iowa senate by a strict party vote. A new measure, similar in its provisions, was at once introduced by Senator Gobble.

Ex-Senator Warner Miller of New York spoke before the Transmississippi Commercial congress in New Orleans in support of the project to build the Nicaragua canal.

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Two acres of business property in San Antonio was destroyed by fire.

World's fair officials are pleased at the tone of President Harrison's message to congress.

Boxer Broatch of West Point was knocked out by Cadet Saxton in a fight over a woman.

New York bankers say the excitement about the export of gold from this country is foolish.

No street cars are running in Indianapolis. The authorities continue to refuse aid to the company.

The bondsmen of ex-Treasurer Woodruff have been sued for $148,683.87, the amount of his shortage.

Secretary Blaine has requested Lord Salisbury to make Canada conform to the copyright agreement.

The experts who have gone into Pennsylvania to make rain have all the farmers against them and are having a serious time of it.

Sterling Galt, son of a prominent Washington jeweler, married Miss Virginia Wingerd in New York. It was a runaway match.

Search for the miscreant guilty of the assault on Mrs. Taylor of Sedalia, Mo., is being prosecuted all through that section of the State.

Delamater, the Republican banker, escaped through a hung jury in Meadville, Pa., the vote standing nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

Miss Johnson's Case.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 26.—In the Johnson habeas corpus case Dr. Henning, family physician, testified that Lillie Johnson had always been in delicate health. He attended her in jail and found her suffering from nervous headache and considered the confinement would be bad for her health.

Rev. Father Veale, a member of whose congregation Miss Johnson is, testified to her good character. Messrs. Garett and Patterson spoke on behalf of the application. Other witnesses testified in her behalf. The state's attorney said he did not deem it necessary now to make an argument, but later in the trial would produce additional evidence to show Miss Johnson's connection with the murder. The case was then taken under advisement.

Naturalization Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The naturalization bill was favorably acted upon by the house judiciary committee. The most radical provisions are the abolition of the "declaration of intention" and the requirement that naturalization proceedings shall take the form of a court trial, in which five years' residence, ability to read the constitution and the absence of certain moral disqualifications must be proved.

Threw Her Babe From a Window.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The building at 435 Fulton street, Brooklyn, caught fire and was damaged to the extent of $5000. All the tenants escaped, but Mrs. John Goodman became panic stricken and wrapping her child in the bed clothing threw it out the window. The little one was caught by a fireman, but is mortally hurt. John Michaelson received severe burns about the hands and face and was taken to the Long Island Hospital.

Ingersoll and Dixon.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, who has just returned from a western tour, has announced his determination to institute libel proceedings against Rev. A. C. Dixon, of the Hanson Place, Baptist Church, Brooklyn. This action is the result of some charges made a few weeks ago by Mr. Dixon, who is said to have alleged that Colonel Ingersoll advocated the distribution of obscene literature.

GOOD LUCK AT LAST.

Patient Toil Rewarded After Many Years, A Farmer's Find.

DENVER, Feb. 25.—A story comes from an old mining camp called Carnero, twelve miles north of Del Norte, Colo., of the discovery of an 8-foot vein of gold and silver ore. This camp was largely prospected about ten years ago, but was abandoned by everybody excepting one man, who took up a farm there. This man has been working on a shaft for many years past, and a few months ago, at a depth of 250 feet, he struck the 8-foot vein. Assays showed that the ore was worth from $300 to $400 per ton.

The farmer did not mention his discovery to a soul until a day or so ago, after he had secured a great many of the best claims in sight and near his own. He then brought some other miners to a place where he had several tons of the valuable ore stored and showed it to them. The parties were astonished at the richness of the ore and rapidly spread the news. The country in the vicinity of Carnero is said to be full of ore. A new town site has been located and prospectors and speculators are flocking rapidly in.

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BLOOD IN BERLIN.

WORKINGMEN AROUSED TO FEVER HEAT BY THE

Speech of Emperor William—Four Thousand Unemployed Men March to the Gates of the Castle—Finally Dispersed by Soldiers and Police.

BERLIN, Feb. 27.—The emperor's speech to the members of the Brandenburg diet, who banqueted him, has caused a sensation.

An instance of the heated passions of the masses was explified here. A body of 3000 or 4000 unemployed men met by preconcerted arrangement in a public square and passed a series of inflammatory resolutions denouncing the employers and the system of government which enabled the latter to crush the workingman beneath the iron heel of capital and calling upon the government to take steps to protect the interests of the working classes.

The news of this bold gathering in defiance of the recent order of the authorities prohibiting such meetings, spread with rapidity all over the city.

The result was that social agitators determined to take advantage of the excited unemployed men to make a demonstration before the castle of the emperor. Led by the socialist agitators the workmen formed in column and marched from the square mentioned in the direction of Unter den Linden, the most celebrated avenue in Berlin.

The onward sweep of workmen was at first irrisistible. The police were utterly unable to cope with that roaring, swelling, enthusiastic crowd, encouraged by thousands of other persons who watched their progress through the streets.

On arriving beneath the statute of Frederick the Great, a halt was made and a socialist leader made a passionate address to the throng, urging them to carry their demonstration up to the gates of the castle. Loud cheers greeted the suggestion and then at a signal from a prominent socialist leader, who seemed to be the chosen leader, the workingmen began singing the "Marseilles" and marched, cheered by thousands who had gathered in the broad avenue to witness the demonstration toward the castle. The workingmen, passing through a line of police which had barred their passage, had nearly reached the castle gates when a strong detachment of police threw themselves across the short portion of the thoroughfare intervening between the rioters and the castle and made a determined charge upon the workingmen's column. The latter for a moment or so, nerved by the roaring cheers of thousands, bravely and stubbornly withstood the attack of the police and pressed onward by those in the rear actually managed to gain headway and beat back the powerful police detachment. The latter, however, rallied and hitting furiously right and left, wounded scores of workingmen, who fell bleeding beneath the feet of the officers of the law. Somebody among the workingmen called upon them to retreat and come again some other day 100,000 strong and prepared to meet the emperor's butchers as they called them.

A retreat then commenced and soon developed into a flight and panic. The police after taking from 80 to 100 prisoners seemed content to allow the remainder to escape. The sixty or seventy wounded rioters who remained upon the field of battle were attended to at a neighborhood hospital and the regular prisoners were placed under lock and key.

Guilty of Manslaughter.

BELFAST, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Annie Margaret Montague, wife of Robert Montague of Colerain, county Londonderry, and daughter-in-law of Lord Montague, who Feb. 16 was held by the coroner's jury as being responsible for the death of her 3-year-old daughter was brought here for further hearing and she was found guilty of manslaughter.

His Paramour on the Stand.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Feb. 27.—The famous Dr. Baker is on trial for wife poisoning. Mrs. Gilmore, who was charged with being the paramour of Dr. Baker and accessory to the awful crime, made a damaging admission on the witness stand. The indictment against her was quashed last term of court. Mrs. Gilmore was asked: "On the day after Dr. Baker buried his wife and came to see you what did he say? How did he look? What were his actions?"

Mrs. Gilmore refused to answer. She said to answer that question would be to bring disgrace flown upon her. Then a discussion among the lawyers began, which lasted quite a while. The judge finally ruled that she must answer, and she burst into sobs, but responded: "He took me in his arms, caressed me and said: 'Oh, my darling, you are mine forever.'"

At this point she was taken very sick and had to be removed from the court-room.

Moonshiners Raided.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 27.—The deputy marshals of Cleburne county have just returned from raiding a moonshiner's den and bringing back five of the gang. The establishment was one of the largest of the kind on record. Three large stills were in full blast. A fourteen horse power engine furnished motive power. Two hundred gallons of whisky and 10,000 gallons of beer and stock of supplies were captured and destroyed. The moonshiners had a regular arsenal in a cottage near by where fourteen pistols, several guns and ammunition were found.

Fighting Dules Changed.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—The Metropolitan club, out of consideration for strangers who will be present during the coming carnival festivities, has concluded to change the date of the Needham-Ryan championship glove contest from March 2 to Feb. 29. Ryan and Needham are in great form.

The Fitzsimmon-Maher fight takes place before the Olympic club of this city on March 9.

All for a Third Party.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 24.—The Reform Press association held an open session at which there was a much more numerous attendance. Most of the session was consumed in discussing and denouncing the National Union company as being connected with or backed by the cordage trust. A committee of five was appointed to investigate the whole subject and report at the afternoon session. The rest of the time was taken up with addresses by Colonel L. L. Polk, General Weaver, A. J. Streeter of Illinois and Ignatius Donnelly. All took ground in favor of a third party.

SLAPPED HIS FACE.

That's What Garza's Father-in-Law Charges Against Bourke.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 29.—Alexandro Gonzales, the father-in-law of Catarina Garza, arrived here from Palito Blanco and in company with his consul, Robert Summerlin, went to Deputy United States Masshal Kilgore, where Gonzales surrendered. He then furnished a $3000 bond to answer the charge of violation of the neutrality laws, his sureties being Alino Canalas and Robert Summerlin. He stated that he had never given his son-in-law any succor or sympathy and was himself a law abiding citizen of the United States. All efforts to find from him the whereabouts of Garza were futile. He charges and has made affidavit to the effect that Captain Bourke of the United States troops not only arrested him and held him a prisoner for several days without any warrant or any charge having been preferred against him, but that while Bourke held him in custody a prisoner of the law Bourke slapped his face and heaped other indiguities upon him, and he says that he intends to prefer charges against Bourke before the military authorities here. He also charges and says he has the affidavit of the justice of the peace of that section to the effect that Bourke has used the troops to terrorize and abuse the inhabitants of that section.

Ex-Governor Hubbard Talks.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 29.—Ex-Governor Hubbard of Texas who was minister to Japan was interviewed before leaving for home regarding Texas politics, he said Hogg's administration had disappointed people and the next convention would either nominate George Clarke of Waco or some dark horse. Texas was tired of the views and policies Hogg had fastened upon the people. Texas had ceased to be an uncivilized state, she was the peer of any state in the Union. Clarke would represent the people. Narrow ideas now dominating the state capitol would be dissipated with Clarke in the gubernatorial chair.

How is Texas on the presidential question?

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Lost Half the Bill.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—About a week ago Supervisor French of Brooklyn, in a moment of absentmindedness tore a $50 bill in two by accident, and lost one of the pieces. He forwarded the pieces he retained to Washington and asked for a new bill. He was surprised yesterday by a reply from the treasury department, informing him that the other half of the bill had got there ahead of his and that John Daly was before him with an application for a new bill. French lost no time in securing an interview with Daly, who told him that he found half of the bill in a pile of rubbish in Nostrand avenue and he agreed to withdraw his claim for $20. The supervisor refused to accept these terms and the rival claimants will have to fight it out with the treasury authorities.

A Dallas Man Shot.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., Feb. 29.—G. W. McKee, a painter, shot Earnest Gomer, recently from Dallas three times, one ball entering just below the hip bone and the others struck about the shoulder blade. None of the wounds are serious. McKee claims that Gomer was about to assault him with a heavy club because he would not give him money. McKee has been released on $1000 bond.

Will Open More Lands.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Feb. 29.—Gov. Seay of Oklahoma has received a letter from Secretary Noble which stated a proclamation was being prepared for opening the Cheyenne and Araphoe lands to settlement. The opening, he said, would take place on or about March 1.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Wednesday.

SENATE—Mr. Sherman, from the committee on foreign relations, reported a resolution requesting the president to inform the senate of the proceedings recently had with the representatives of the Dominion of Canada and the British government as to the arrangements for reciprocal trade with Canada and was agreed to.

HOUSE—The Indian appropsiation bill still continues to be the subject of consideration in the house and is likely to absorb the rest of the week. When the house went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropriation bill Bynum of Indiana occupied the chair. After disposing of forty-six of the sixty pages of the bill the committee rose on motion of Sayers of Texas.—Senate amendments to the census deficiency bill were non-concurred in and a conference committee composed of Sayers, Holman and Dingley ordered.

Thursday.

SENATE—Hale's resolution, calling on Secretary Tracy for copies of the reciprocity agreement under the last tariff act, was taken up and Mr. Vest moved the following amendment: "And the secretary of state also inform the senate whether any steps have been taken by authority to negotiate a reciprocal treaty with Mexico and if so what has been done and what the results. Also that the secretary inform the senate if negotiations have been inaugurated for the purpose aforesaid, and if they were unsuccessful what has been the cause of the failure."

HOUSE—Brown of Indiana, called up the contested election case of Craig vs. Stewart, from the Twenty-fourth district of Pennsylvania. The majority of the committee find in favor of contestant, E. Craig, and minority holds the sitting member entitled to retain his seat.

Friday.

SENATE—The conference report on the census deficiency bill was presented and agreed to.

HOUSE—The Democrats increased their majority in the house by one. This addition to the already overwhelming Democratic majority was by no means necessary to insure their working of party organization, but Andrew Stewart of the twenty-fourth Pennsylvania district was unseated and Alex K. Craig, the Democratic contestant, declared the regularly elected representative. The first vote was on the minority resolution confirming the right of Stewart to the seat and was defeated—yeas 58, nays 150. The majority resolution seating Craig was adopted without division, and Craig appeared at the bar of the house and took the oath of office.—Sayers of Texas submitted the conference report on the urgent deficiency bill and it was agreed to.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 29.—Emmigrants are passing through in car-load lots for Eddy, N. M. The Southern Pacific has brought in a large number from Fresno and Calif, and Newman, Russel & Cole's agents for the Pecos Valley have contracted with the Texas and Pacific Railroad company to haul twelve more coaches of families from this city the early part of March. What was once considered a desert is now under irrigation, and thousands of acres have been reclaimed. Emigrants from western Texas, Arizona and New Mexico are pouring into the valley in large numbers.

RELIEF FOR RUSSIANS

MILLIONS OF PEOPLE DYING IN THE LAND OF THE CZAR.

American Donations Are Thankfully Received and Will Be Judiciously Distributed Among the Famishing—Woman Burned to Death.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 29.—Subscriptions made in America for the relief of the famine sufferers in this country are exciting much interest. The relief movements in the northwestern part of the United States and in New York, Philadelphia and Boston, all of which have been reported, are greatly appreciated. All the American contributions will be handled by their agencies, and no fear may be entertained that anything will be devoted to other purposes than those intended by the charitable donors of the welcome gifts.

Mr. Charles Emery Smith, the minister to Russia, has had consultation with leading members of the private charitable organizations here and with government authorities, with all of whom he reached the most satisfactory conclusions regarding the manner in which the funds will be distributed. Up to date there has been received from the United States a sum representing $25,000. Part of this money has been distributed by the relief organization of the British-American church and part by the Jewish relief committee. The first money from the United States arrived here in December. After careful examination Mr. Smith handed most of it to the fund of the British-American church, which has one of the best relief organizations in the empire. Rev. Mr. Francis, pastor of the church, here made a tour of the distressed provinces and has established reliable local relief clubs.

The Society of Friends in the island has subscribed £20,000. Their representative Mr. Brooks, co-operates with the British-American church. He will go to the more remote localities of the provinces in order to relieve, so far as possible, distress before the spring renders the roads impassable. If it is acceptable to the donors the same arrangement will be applied to the food from America.

On the arrival of the steamer Indiana the corn and flour on board of her will be conveyed by rail to the distressed districts free of charge. Several millions of people will have to rely on voluntary gifts. In conversation the American minister said: "You can say to the American donors that their generous gifts will be faithfully applied as they may indicate through reliable agencies, and it will be done with the approval and support of the Russian authorities." Mr. Smith added that he had received a letter from a friend in Samaria saying:

"The many sad sights and misery daily around me are past description. People are dropping daily from hunger, typhus fever and influenza. Thousands must die in the province of Samaria before spring unless immediate help is given them. Three persons have died of starvation in Petroffa in two days. Crowds of starved peasants surround my house all day long appealing to be saved. In every other house there are cases of typhus fever or influenza. The grain is exhausted and nearly all the horses in the vicinity have been sold. An official informs me that there are 200,000 persons who require relief in Samaria alone."

Murdered by Burning.

VIENNA, Feb. 29.—Details of a horrible story have been received in this city, telling of a fiendish act committed, it is alleged, to avenge another terrible crime. A band of masked men whose features were completely concealed collected during the night in the small village of Minan, in the province of Buckawina. They went to the house of a handsome young woman named Mary Loppers, forced their way into a bedroom occupied by the woman and bound her securely with cords. Then they poured a large quantity of petroleum over her, thoroughly saturating her clothes with the fluid. A match was then applied to the oil soaked garments and in an instant the unfortunate woman was enveloped in flames. The poor victim's shrieks and cries were blood curdling, but the terrible agony suffered by the woman as she was roasted to death had little effect in rousing pity in her assailants who watched the woman's cremation. The band stood gazing on this horrible spectacle until the woman's convulsive struggles had ceased and her anguished moans had died away and not one of them stirred from the spot until nothing remained of the woman's body but a black and distorted mass. The murderers then left the place as secretly as they arrived. The motive assigned for the outrage is that the woman was suspected of murdering her husband and it is thought that those who took part in the burning of the woman were friends of the dead man.

Stabbed His Son While Dreaming.

CLEBURNE, Feb, 29.—A cutting affray occurred on south Main street at a wagon yard, in which W. T. J. Burton, a man 50 or 60 years old, almost fatally stabbed his son, John Burton, aged about 30 years. Reports of the affair was conflicting. The elder Burton says he was asleep, and in a frightened dream got up and stabbed his son, thinking he was some one else. John Burton does not talk much about it, but says his father had been drinking to excess and he does not know why he did it. He was cut once in the left side of the neck and once in the left side of the small of the back with a large spring-back pocket knife.

Navarez Aprehended.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Feb. 29.—Lorenzo Nevarez, the Mexican that seriously cut N. E. Addix last spring, was arrested at a fandango. A hearing in the justice court has been given him, and his bond was fixed at $350 to await the action of the grand jury, in default of which he was remanded to jail.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Charles T. Wills obtained a mechanic's lien on Dr. Talmage's new tabernacle at Brooklyn and then brought an action to foreclose it, and judgment was rendered in his favor for $52,216 on Feb. 10. The judgment was signed by Judge Pratt and will be enforced by a sale of the property at public action.

Sensible Colored Men.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 25.—At a conference of colored people at Tuskegee, It was determined that they can become prosperous, intelligent and rich where they are and wholesale emigration is discouraged.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Items of Interest from All Parts of the Country.

Captain George F. Chase said that Garza was still in Texas, hiding in the dense thickets.

Safe-blowers made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the Farmers' bank in Savannah, Mo.

D. F. Desdunes, colored, tried to enter a car set apart for the whites in Louisiana, and was arrested.

Ex-Mayor Gregier's son makes sensational charges against City Electrician Barrett of Chicago in a suit filed.

Richard Cullen was held for murder and his mother as accessory at Marshfield, Mo. The victim was an orphan boy 4 years old.

Wyman Institute at Alton, Ill., has been sold to Willis Brown of Lawrence, Kas., for $30,000. The present management will be continued.

The Chicago local committee is dissatisfied because it only gets 3000 tickets to the National Democratic convention, the national committee getting the other 12,000.

The Schmit local option bill was defeated in the Iowa senate by a strict party vote. A new measure, similar in its provisions, was at once introduced by Senator Gobble.

Ex-Senator Warner Miller of New York spoke before the Transmississippi Commercial congress in New Orleans in support of the project to build the Nicaragua canal.

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Two acres of business property in Sa Antonio was destroyed by fire.

World's fair officials are pleased at the tone of President Harrison's message to congress.

Boxer Broatch of West Point was knocked out by Cadet Saxton in a fight over a woman.

New York bankers say the excitement about the export of gold from this country is foolish.

No street cars are running in Indianapolis. The authorities continue to refuse aid to the company.

The bondsmen of ex-Treasurer Woodruff have been sued for $148,683.87, the amount of his shortage.

Secretary Blaine has requested Lord Salisbury to make Canada conform to the copyright agreement.

The experts who have gone into Pennsylvania to make rain have all the farmers against them and are having a serious time of it.

Sterling Galt, son of a prominent Washington jeweler, married Miss Virginia Wingerd in New York. It was a runaway match.

Search for the miscreant guilty of the assault on Mrs. Taylor of Sedalia, Mo., is being prosecuted all through that section of the State.

Delamater, the Republican banker, escaped through a hung jury in Meadville, Pa., the vote standing nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

Miss Johnson's Case.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 26.—In the Johnson habeas corpus case Dr. Henning, family physician, testified that Lillie Johnson had always been in delicate health. He attended her in jail and found her suffering from nervous headache and considered the confinement would be bad for her health.

Rev. Father Veale, a member of whose congregation Miss Johnson is, testified to her good character. Messrs. Garett and Patterson spoke on behalf of the application. Other witnesses testified in her behalf. The state's attorney said he did not deem it necessary now to make an argument, but later in the trial would produce additional evidence to show Miss Johnson's connection with the murder. The case was then taken under advisement.

Naturalization Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The naturalization bill was favorably acted upon by the house judiciary committee. The most radical provisions are the abolition of the "declaration of intention" and the requirement that naturalization proceedings shall take the form of a court trial, in which five years' residence, ability to read the constitution and the absence of certain moral disqualifications must be proved.

Threw Her Babe From a Window.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The building at 435 Fulton street, Brooklyn, caught fire and was damaged to the extent of $5000. All the tenants escaped, but Mrs. John Goodman became panic stricken and wrapping her child in the bed clothing threw it out the window. The little one was caught by a fireman, but is mortally hurt. John Michaelson received severe burns about the hands and face and was taken to the Long Island Hospital.

Ingersoll and Dixon.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, who has just returned from a western tour, has announced his determination to institute libel proceedings against Rev. A. C. Dixon, of the Hanson Place, Baptist Church, Brooklyn. This action is the result of some charges made a few weeks ago by Mr. Dixon, who is said to have alleged that Colonel Ingersoll advocated the distribution of obscene literature.

GOOD LUCK AT LAST.

Patient Toil Rewarded After Many Years, A Farmer's Find.

DENVER, Feb. 25.—A story comes from an old mining camp called Carnero, twelve miles north of Del Norte, Colo., of the discovery of an 8-foot vein of gold and silver ore. This camp was largely prospected about ten years ago, but was abandoned by everybody excepting one man, who took up a farm there. This man has been working on a shaft for many years past, and a few months ago, at a depth of 250 feet, he struck the 8-foot vein. Assays showed that the ore was worth from $300 to $400 per ton.

The farmer did not mention his discovery to a soul until a day or so ago, after he had secured a great many of the best claims in sight and near his own. He then brought some other miners to a place where he had several tons of the valuable ore stored and showed it to them. The parties were astonished at the richness of the ore and rapidly spread the news. The country in the vicinity of Carnero is said to be full of ore. A new town site has been located and prospectors and speculators are flocking rapidly in.

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HE PERISHED IN THE FLAMES.

Accidental Burning of Ex-Gov. Conway of Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 28.—Between 7 and 8 o'clock this morning Ex Gov. Elias C. Conway was accidently burned to death in his own residence, a small one-story frame building on Scott street, which was also consumed.

It is supposed he was asleep at the time. For many years before the late war he was one of the most conspicuous men in the state. He was several times state auditor and served two terms as governor. He was very old and feeble, quite eccentric and lived alone, not allowing any one else to sleep on the premises.

Candidates

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A VISIT TO COPEVILLE.

Political, Literary and Other Notes.

Last Friday evening we landed in the city of Copeville from the north bound Sante Fee train. Almost the first gentlemen we met were A. J. Kemp, T. J. Craig and Sam Lindsey all from the metropolis of Fayburgh also Clarence Shuman of McKinney.

We were cordially escorted across main street from the depot to the drugstore of Messers Blount & Peak where we found representatives of almost every political creed who were pleasantly discussing state politics. John Lockhart of course was in favor of Hogg—he is built that way. Dr. Ed. Lindsey was confident of being right because he was on the opposite side from Mr. Lockhart.

G. W. Baker the efficient agent of the Santa Fee upon noticing a warped axehandle lying near compared it to the conscience of a Hogg man. He also gave the definition of a demagogue as being the fellow who is on the opposite side.

Every man seemed to express himself freely upon politics and in place of getting mad, the other fellow would only pleasantly "wink the other eye." It was our first trip to Copeville and will certainly not be our last. While there, we were agreeably entertained at "Hotel De Lockhart." Its proprietor knows full well how to amuse his guests consequently we did little else but laugh and eat (especially the latter) while at his home.

On Friday night a pleasant social was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Campbell where the young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed themselves.

On Friday evening we in company with several leading citizens chartered a hand car from the Santa Fee road and made a flying trip to old Copeville, where Hon. John Johnson made a speech to a good crowd of citizens. Mr. Johnson dealt severely with corporations and laid the blame of bad government management at the doors of both the old parties. He called for all who were in favor of R. Q. Mills for the United States senate to stand up. No one stood up. Thirty two voters stood up as opposed to him, several did not vote:

At the speaking we met Messers J. Williford, Jno. T. Bowen, A. T. Hall, E.D. Thompson, W. A. McBee, Mr. Montgomery, Uncle Peter Hale, Tom P. Williams of Wylie and J. L. Moulden of Murphy.

On Friday night we attended the debating society at old Copeville. The question was "Resolve that women are entitled to suffrage." After hearing several able speeches from both sides the judges rendered a decision in favor of the affirmative. After selecting questions and arranging program for next meeting the secretary announced that Editor W. C. Ivy would read the Copeville Review, the hearing of which created much merriment:

OTHER NOTES.

Prof. Young is the efficient teacher of Copeville.

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Washington's birthday was properly observed at the schoolhouse on the 22nd of February.

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An entertainment was given recently for the benefit of improving the schoolhouse which is now comfortably fixed with new ceiling, seats, etc.

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J. E. Jones is doing a large dry goods and grocery business at Copeville.

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G. W. Baker makes a good president of a debating society.

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H. M. Peak, the druggist is suffering with something like the white swelling in one of his legs.

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The school register of Copeville shows up about 100 scholars.

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Sam Cotner furnisnes music for the boys—both vocal and instrumental.

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John Lockhart gives a gowing description of the "holy land" park situated near the city.

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The Santa Fee road does a large freight traffic. About 15 trains per day passes Copeville.

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Owing to other engagements Sam Cotner, secretary of the debating society, failed to fill the position last Saturday night.

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J. P. Winder, who works in the dry goods department of J. E. Jones, was one of the speakers, who eloquently supported the negative side at Saturday night's meeting.

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Clarence Shuman says that he is bound to make several "business trips" to Copeville.

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Editor Ivy almost took our breath, when he referred to candidates and journalists from McKinney as "big bags"—bondholders, for instance.

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Our bachelor friend, Mr. Watson is a hummer among the fair sex.

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We are half way inclined to quit the journal business and go to railroading. Our recent experience in running a hand car at Copeville is very encouraging, indeed.

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Dr. Ed Lindsay, who has been located at Copeville about one month, is making quite a success.

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Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup, is highly recommended by a local physician of Copeville.

To Ex-Confederates.

HEADQUARTERS UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS, NEW ORLEANS, LA., FEBRUARY, 20, 1892.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 32.

I. The General Commanding announces that the third annual meeting and reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held; in obedience to the resolution passed by the delegates at the last reunion, at the City of New Orleans, La., on the 8th and 9th days of April next. All confederate organizations and confederate soldiers and sailors of all arms, grades and departments are cordially invited to attend this Third General Reunion of their comrades.

II. Ex-confederate soldiers and sailors everywhere are urged to form themselves into local associations, where this has not already been done; and all associations, bivouacs, encampments and other bodies are earnestly requested to send in applications to these headquarters, without delay, in time to participate in this great reunion, and thus unite with their comrades in carrying out the laudable and philanthropic objects of the united confederate veteran organization.

III. Business of the greatest importance will demand careful consideration during the Third Annual Convention—such as the best methods of securing impartial history, and to enlist each state in the compilation and preservation of the history of her citizen soldiery; the benevolent care through state aid and otherwise of disabled, destitute or aged Veterans and the widows and orphans of our fallen brothers-in-arms; the care of the graves of our known and unknown dead buried at Gettysburg, Fort Warren, Camps Morton, Chase, Douglas, Oakwood cemetery at Chicago, Johnson's Island, Cairo and at all other points, to see that they are annually decorated, the headstones preserved and protected, and complete lists of the names of our dead heroes with the location of their last resting places furnished to their friends and relatives through the medium of our camps, thus rescuing their names from obliviou and handing them down in history; the consideration of the different movements, plans and means to erect a Monument to the memory of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederate States of America, also to aid in building Monuments to other great leaders, soldiers and sailors of the South; to make such changes in the constitution and by-laws as experience may suggest, and other matters of general interest.

IV. Each camp now admitted into the United Conferate Veteran organization and those admitted before the Reunion are urged to at once elect accredited delegates, to attend the Reunion, as only accredited delegates will participate in the business part of the Reunion.

The representation of delegates at the Reunion will be as fixed in Article 3 of the Constitution, and amendment to the same: one delegate for every twenty members, and one for any fraction over twenty, provided every camp shall be entitled to at least two delegates.

V. Attention of camps is called to the resolution in amendment to Article 5 of the Constitution, "that no camp shall be allowed representation in any meeting of the United Confederate Veterans unless the camp shall have on or before the 1st day of April proceeding the meeting, paid all amounts due as initiation fee, $2 00, and also the amount due per capita."

VI. A program to be observed at the Reunion and all the details will be furnished to the camps and to all veterans by the Committee of Arrangements in due time; and any further information can be obtained by applying to Col. W. R. Lyman, chairman Reunion Committee U. C. V's. New Orleans, La.

VII. The General Commanding respectfully requests the press, both daily and weekly, of the whole country, to aid the patriot and benevolent objects of the United Confederate Veterans by publication of these General Orders, with editoral notices of the organization.

VIII. The General Commanding respectfully requests and trusts that railroad officials will also aid the old veterans by giving such reduced rates of transportation, as will enable them to attend.

IX. Officers of the General staff are directed to assist division commanders and others in organizing their respective States, and generally to assist in the complete federation of all confederate survivors in one organization under the Constitution of the United Confederate Veterans.

By order of
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An Open Letter.

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This makes the creature greater than the creator and would perpetuate the national banks.

Mr. Davis opposed the bill on the grounds that it gave the owner the privilege to call on the government at any time which might cause the government to only be able to pay 33 1-3 cents on the dollar.

Just after said meeting of the club the Examiner stated that it did not have space for the proceedings but would give them in the next issue but they did not come. The resolution, without the clause above refered to, was published in the Dallas News. The head of the resolution was for the people but the tail was for national banks and all other monopolies. Now if the Examiner thinks I have made a mistake in the above statement I am ready to be corrected,

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McKinney.

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J. D. Brown, farmer—Don't know.

T.S. Batson, farmer—Throckmorton.

Jim Field, farmer—Have to study.

J. B. Largent, stock—Haven't made up my mind.

H.H. Reeves—Have not given enough thought.

Capt. McLany, farmer—Hogg.

J. O. Kerr, farmer—Can't say yet.

Jim Taylor, farmer—Not for Hogg.

Henry Lewis, merchant—Not Hogg.

J. C. Bowman, farmer—Clark.

J. S. England, farmer—No choice.

B. H. Oats, farmer—Not Hogg.

Jim Stibbins, farmer—Undecided.

Geo. Herndon, stock—Ain't for Hogg.

T. C. Boone, hotel—Throckmorton.

E. D. Bomar, farmer—Don't want either.

Bob Huey, farmer—Clark.

Jot Woodall, farmer—Neither.

Thos. Knight, farmer—Neither.

John Kirby, farmer—Ain't for Hogg.

John Gibson, farmer—Undecided.

Jim Greer, farmer—Don't like either; Throckmorton.

W. T. Brooke, merchant—Anybody but Hogg.

J. A. Evans, attorney—Sorter on the fence.

Leslie Bush, farmer—Undecided.

Capt. T.M. Scott, farmer—Democratic nominee.

John L. Dugger, farmer—Clark.

L. S. Powell, cotton buyer—Not for Hogg.

W. B. Harrison, cotton buyer—Not for Hogg.

W. L. Pierce, cotton buyer—Clark.

B. F. Houston, merchant—Don't favor either.

W. B. Wilson, clerk—Clark.

H. H. Crouch, merchant—Hogg.

Wood Hill, stockman—Clark.

L. H. Graves, stockman—Clark.

D.W. 'Brien, farmer—Hogg.

Will Morris, farmer—Clark.

Tom Melton, clerk—Democratic nominee.

H. Burton, farmer—Clark.

Jim Coleman, farmer—Neither.

Col. R. D. Allison—Neither Hogg nor Clark.

H. W. Ardinger, merchant—Against Hogg.

Tom McMullins, merchant—No choice.

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T. J Mallow, farmer—Don't want Hogg.

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John McKinney, farmer—Not decided.

W. C. Burrus, miller—Clark.

W. B. Newsome, merchant—Non committal.

W. M. Bagley, ex-county treasurer—Throckmorton.

Senator H. A. Finch—Hogg against Clark.

M. H. Garnett, attorney—Gustave Cook.

Wylie's Choice.

[News.]

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S. S. Jackson, M. D.—good man to beat Hogg.

Rutler Fowler, farmer—man against Hogg, Throckton.

A. H. Burns, merchant—

C. F. Snaze, merchant—man but Hogg.

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Considerate friends of Gov. Hogg must doubtless note with regret the intemperate and scurrilous language applied by Chairman Finley to democratic members of the Texas Farmers' alliance, who dissatisfied with the present state administration, have declared their opposition to the governor's re-election. Some of the epithets and phrases used in this relation, such as "mean," "stinking," "set of skunks," would ordinarily be unprintable in the columns of the News. But the position of Mr. Finley as chairman of the democratic state executive committee invests his fierce vituperation in this case with a certain claim to consideration as quasi-official utterance and with a corresponding claim to immunity in the light of privileged matter. The charge of personalism against the administration of Gov. Hogg could hardly have a more striking exemplification than in the extreme personal partisanship in its behalf which it has somehow imparted to the chairmanship of the state executive committee. As represented by Chairman Finley this nominal agency for the promiscuous mass of the Texas democracy appears to be simply an electioneering machine for a single candidate before the party for the gubernatorial nomination. Some may think that the chairman in his late virulence of speech lost his discretion, with many primary votes for his favorite, through a furious burst of temper. But it may be that his tirade against alliance men, who as democrats formerly supported Gov. Hogg and who now as democrats declare against his renomination, was designed to provoke them to some rash extremity which could be used as occasion for insisting on their disqualification to participate in democratic primaries. Indeed, it seems to be the fixed purpose of Chairman Finley that they shall be denied, if possible, such participation. Nothing less is implied in this prediction and threat: "About the only chance that set of skunks will have will be at the polls, when they will have an opportunity to vote for Web Flanagan or Wright Cuney." Thus is opened a rather lurid prospect of a desperate fight for the mastery at the primaries, with a possibility of a through and through split of the party as heretofore constituted in Texas, resulting in two distinct organizations contending for control of the state government and both claiming to be regular.—Dallas News.

HE PERISHED IN THE FLAMES.

Accidental Burning of Ex-Gov. Conway of Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 28.—Between 7 and 8 o'clock this morning Ex Gov. Elias C. Conway was accidently burned to death in his own residence, a small one-story frame building on Scott street, which was also consumed.

It is supposed he was asleep at the time. For many years before the late war he was one of the most conspicuous men in the state. He was several times state auditor and served two terms as governor. He was very old and feeble, quite eccentric and lived alone, not allowing any one else to sleep on the premises.

Candidates

Don't fail to see us before you place your orders for cards or circulars.

A VISIT TO COPEVILLE.

Political, Literary and Other Notes.

Last Friday evening we landed in the city of Copeville from the north bound Sante Fee train. Almost the first gentlemen we met were A. J. Kemp, T. J. Craig and Sam Lindsey all from the metropolis of Fayburgh also Clarence Shuman of McKinney.

We were cordially escorted across main street from the depot to the drugstore of Messers Blount & Peak where we found representatives of almost every political creed who were pleasantly discussing state politics. John Lockhart of course was in favor of Hogg—he is built that way. Dr. Ed. Lindsey was confident of being right because he was on the opposite side from Mr. Lockhart.

G. W. Baker the efficient agent of the Santa Fee upon noticing a warped axehandle lying near compared it to the conscience of a Hogg man. He also gave the definition of a demagogue as being the fellow who is on the opposite side.

Every man seemed to express himself freely upon politics and in place of getting mad, the other fellow would only pleasantly "wink the other eye." It was our first trip to Copeville and will certainly not be our last. While there, we were agreeably entertained at "Hotel De Lockhart." Its proprietor knows full well how to amuse his guests consequently we did little else but laugh and eat (especially the latter) while at his home.

On Friday night a pleasant social was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Campbell where the young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed themselves.

On Friday evening we in company with several leading citizens chartered a hand car from the Santa Fee road and made a flying trip to old Copeville, where Hon. John Johnson made a speech to a good crowd of citizens. Mr. Johnson dealt severely with corporations and laid the blame of bad government management at the doors of both the old parties. He called for all who were in favor of R. Q. Mills for the United States senate to stand up. No one stood up. Thirty two voters stood up as opposed to him, several did not vote:

At the speaking we met Messers J. Williford, Jno. T. Bowen, A. T. Hall, E. D. Thompson, W. A. McBee, Mr. Montgomery, Uncle Peter Hale, Tom P. Williams of Wylie and J. L. Moulden of Murphy.

On Friday night we attended the debating society at old Copeville. The question was "Resolve that women are entitled to suffrage." After hearing several able speeches from both sides the judges rendered a decision in favor of the affirmative. After selecting questions and arranging program for next meeting the secretary announced that Editor W. C. Ivy would read the Copeville Review, the hearing of which created much merriment:

OTHER NOTES.

Prof. Young is the efficient teacher of Copeville.

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Washington's birthday was properly observed at the schoolhouse on the 22nd of February.

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An entertainment was given recently for the benefit of improving the schoolhouse which is now comfortably fixed with new ceiling, seats, etc.

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J. E. Jones is doing a large dry goods and grocery business at Copeville.

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G. W. Baker makes a good president of a debating society.

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H. M. Peak, the druggist is suffering with something like the white swelling in one of his legs.

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The school register of Copeville shows up about 100 scholars.

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Sam Cotner furnisnes music for the boys—both vocal and instrumental.

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John Lockhart gives a gowing description of the "holy land" park situated near the city.

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The Santa Fee road does a large freight traffic. About 15 trains per day passes Copeville.

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Owing to other engagements Sam Cotner, secretary of the debating society, failed to fill the position last Saturday night.

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J. P. Winder, who works in the dry goods department of J. E. Jones, was one of the speakers, who eloquently supported the negative side at Saturday night's meeting.

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Clarence Shuman says that he is bound to make several "business trips" to Copeville.

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Editor Ivy almost took our breath, when he referred to candidates and journalists from McKinney as "big bags"—bondholders, for instance.

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Our bachelor friend, Mr. Watson is a hummer among the fair sex.

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We are half way inclined to quit the journal business and go to railroading. Our recent experience in running a hand car at Copeville is very encouraging, indeed.

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Dr. Ed Lindsay, who has been located at Copeville about one month, is making quite a success.

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Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup, is highly recommended by a local physician of Copeville.

To Ex-Confederates.

HEADQUARTERS UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS, NEW ORLEANS, LA., FEBRUARY, 23, 1892.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 32.

I. The General Commanding announces that the third annual meeting and reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held; in obedience to the resolution passed by the delegates at the last reunion, at the City of New Orleans, La., on the 8th and 9th days of April next. All confederate organizations and confederate soldiers and sailors of all arms, grades and departments are cordially invited to attend this Third General Reunion of their comrades.

II. Ex-confederate soldiers and sailors everywhere are urged to form themselves into local associations, where this has not already been done; and all associations, bivouacs, encampments and other bodies are earnestly requested to send in applications to these headquarters, without delay, in time to participate in this great reunion, and thus unite with their comrades in carrying out the laudable and philanthropic objects of the united confederate veteran organization.

III. Business of the greatest importance will demand careful consideration during the Third Annual Convention—such as the best methods of securing impartial history, and to enlist each state in the compilation and preservation of the history of her citizen soldiery; the benevolent care through state aid and otherwise of disabled, destitute or aged Veterans and the widows and orphans of our fallen brothers-in-arms; the care of the graves of our known and unknown dead buried at Gettysburg, Fort Warren, Camps Morton, Chase, Douglas, Oakwood cemetery at Chicago, Johnson's Island, Cairo and at all other points, to see that they are annually decorated, the headstones preserved and protected, and complete lists of the names of our dead heroes with the location of their last resting places furnished to their friends and relatives through the medium of our camps, thus rescuing their names from oblivion and handing them down in history; the consideration of the different movements, plans and means to erect a Monument to the memory of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederate States of America, also to aid in building Monuments to other great leaders, soldiers and sailors of the South; to make such changes in the constitution and by-laws as experience may suggest, and other matters of general interest.

IV. Each camp now admitted into the United Conferate Veteran organization and those admitted before the Reunion are urged to at once elect accredited delegates, to attend the Reunion, as only accredited delegates will participate in the business part of the Reunion.

The representation of delegates at the Reunion will be as fixed in Article 3 of the Constitution, and amendment to the same: one delegate for every twenty members, and one for any fraction over twenty, provided every camp shall be entitled to at least two delegates.

V. Attention of camps is called to the resolution in amendment to Article 5 of the Constitution, "that no camp shall be allowed representation in any meeting of the United Confederate Veterans unless the camp shall have on or before the 1st day of April proceeding the meeting, paid all amounts due as initiation fee, $2 00, and also the amount due per capita."

VI. A program to be observed at the Reunion and all the details will be furnished to the camps and to all veterans by the Committee of Arrangements in due time; and any further information can be obtained by applying to Col. W. R. Lyman, chairman Reunion Committee U. C. V's. New Orleans, La.

VII. The General Commanding respectfully requests the press, both daily and weekly, of the whole country, to aid the patriot and benevolent objects of the United Confederate Veterans by publication of these General Orders, with editoral notices of the organization.

VIII. The General Commanding respectfully requests and trusts that railroad officials will also aid the old veterans by giving such reduced rates of transportation, as will enable them to attend.

IX. Officers of the General staff are directed to assist division commanders and others in organizing their respective States, and generally to assist in the complete federation of all confederate survivors in one organization under the Constitution of the United Confederate Veterans.

By order of
J. B. GORDON,
General Commanding.

GEO. MOORMAN,
Adjutant General and Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

A PURE BAKING POWDER.

A baking powder that can be depended upon to be free from lime and alumn is a desideratum in these days of adulterated food. So far as can be judged from the official reports, the "Royal" seems to be the only one yet found by chemical analysis to be entirely without one or the other of these substances and absolutely pure. This, it is shown, results from the exclusive use by its manufacturers of cream of tarter specially refined and prepared dy patent processes which totally remove the tartrate of lime and other impurities. The cost of this chemically pure cream of tar is much greater than any other and it is used in no baking powder except the "Royal," the manufacturers of which control the patsnts under which it is refined.

Dr. Edward G. Love, formerly analytical chemist for the U. S. Government, who made the analysis for the New York State Board of Health in their investigation of baking powders, and whose intimate knowledge of the ingredients of all those sold in this market enables him to speak authoritatively, says of the purity, wholesomeness, and superior quality of the "Royal:"

"I find the Royal Baking Powder composed of pure and wholesome ingredients: It is a cream of tartar powder, and does not contain either alum or phosphates, or other injurious substance."

Prof. Love's tests, and the recent official tests by both the United Ttates and Canadian Governments, show the Royal Baking Powder to be superior to all others in strength and leavening power. It is not only the most economical in use, but makes the purest, finest flavored and most wholesome food.

An Open Letter.

The Democrat club of McKinney, at a recent regular meeting passed a free coinage resolution with concluding clause attached which is about as follows: The Government is to issue bills of exchange—three dollars to every dollar in silver to be redeemed at the option of the owner.

This makes the creature greater than the creator and would perpetuate the national banks.

Mr. Davis opposed the bill on the grounds that it gave the owner the privilege to call on the government at any time which might cause the government to only be able to pay 33 1-3 cents on the dollar.

Just after said meeting of the club the Examiner stated that it did not have space for the proceedings but would give them in the next issue but they did not come. The resolution, without the clause above refered to, was published in the Dallas News. The head of the resolution was for the people but the tail was for national banks and all other monopo ies. Now if the Examiner thinks I have made a mistake in the above statement I am ready to be corrected,

Respectfully.
JOHN JOHNSON.

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To JAN. 1st 1892.

Columbia Heights Addition

A Beautiful Addition to San Antonio, Texast

The Advantage of DEEP WA TER at ARANSAS PASS in th near future give these lots muc more value.

This superb property is located south of the City Hall, just opposite the city limits, where the lot owner will not be burdened by city taxes or harrassed by city ordinances. The land, a beautifully rolling plateau overlooking the whole city and surrounding country, is free from gullies or broken ground, has all been cleared and grubbed, and is a dark rich chocolate loam. It is all laid out in modern style, with broad avenues—all well monnumented so that the lines cannot be changed.

MAPS

Will be furnished to all purchasers of

LOTS.

Streets and avenues are ing graded so that the purc ser can see just what he bu The city waterworks are w in half a mile, and can extended to the property a very small expense. Fi ing wells of the purest w can be obtained at a rea able depth. An electric line is now projected to through this addition good prospects of being pleted early this year.

Mr. HENRY ELMENDOR

Recognized the pronounced advantages of this property as an addition to San Antonio and bought it for that purpose. He proposes to sell a limited number of these lots at low prices in order to encourage its rapid improvement, then the

Prices of Lots Will be Advanced to a Figurre Neaer Th Actual Value.

There is no investment that will multiply faster than these lots. It beats a savings bank ten to one. Besides, your money is absolutely safe. It is a wellknown and established fact that additions platted like this one, have, within the past few years in this city paoven the best possible investment for all—the rich and poor alike. They have to-day all the modern city improvements, water, gas, electric light and electric car service. And lots bought at $10 to $15 each are to day selling readily at $150 to $250 and upwards.

REMEMBER!

Terms are 1-3 cash Balence reasonable time, with 8 per cent interest--5 per cent discount on deferred payment for cash.

Remember.

Any ladies or gentlemen wish to get some of t choice bargains, may send their order for as many lo they may wish at the ave auction sale prices $10 to per lot, $3 extra for cor and we will mark them off selection and call upon the close same. If you inve Columbia Heights you w able to sell at a high profi very short space of time. this addition will be cro with greater success than ever yet been heard of.

ADDRESS
C. L. DIGNOWITY,
GENERAL MANAGER,
No. 9 East Houston Street.

McKinney.

MCKINNEY, Tex., Feb. 27.—A canvass shows views on the gubernatorial race as follows:

J. D. Brown, farmer—Don't know.

T. S. Batson, farmer—Throckmorton.

Jim Field, farmer—Have to study.

J. B. Largent, stock—Haven't made up my mind.

H. H. Reeves—Have not given enough thought.

Capt. McLany, farmer—Hogg.

J. O. Kerr, farmer—Can't say yet.

Jim Taylor, farmer—Not for Hogg.

Henry Lewis, merchant—Not Hogg.

J. C. Bowman, farmer—Clark.

J. S. England, farmer—No choice.

B. H. Oats, farmer—Not Hogg.

Jim Stibbins, farmer—Undecided.

Geo. Herndon, stock—Ain't for Hogg.

T. C. Boone, hotel—Throckmorton.

E. D. Bomar, farmer—Don't want either.

Bob Huey, farmer—Clark.

Jot Woodall, farmer—Neither.

Thos. Knight, farmer—Neither.

John Kirby, farmer—Ain't for Hogg.

John Gibson, farmer—Undecided.

Jim Greer, farmer—Don't like either; Throckmorton.

W. T. Brooke, merchant—Anybody but Hogg.

J. A. Evans, attorney—Sorter on the fence.

Leslie Bush, farmer—Undecided.

Capt. T. M. Scott, farmer—Democratic nominee.

John L. Dugger, farmer—Clark.

L. S. Powell, cotton buyer—Not for Hogg.

W. B. Harrison, cotton buyer—Not for Hogg.

W. L. Pierce, cotton buyer—Clark.

B. F. Houston, merchant—Don't favor either.

W. B. Wilson, clerk—Clark.

H. H. Crouch, merchant—Hogg.

Wood Hill, stockman—Clark.

L. H. Graves, stockman—Clark.

D. W. 'Brien, farmer—Hogg.

Will Morris, farmer—Clark.

Tom Melton, clerk—Democratic nominee.

H. Burton, farmer—Clark.

Jim Coleman, farmer—Neither.

Col. R. D. Allison—Neither Hogg nor Clark.

H. W. Ardinger, merchant—Against Hogg.

Tom McMullins, merchant—No choice.

J. C. Coleman, merchant—Anybody but Hogg.

T. J Mallow, farmer—Don't want Hogg.

Ben Estes, clerk—Don't want either.

John Herndon, farmer—Clark.

T. J. Nail, merchant—Undecided.

R. T. Seay, merchant—Clark.

Jim Shrader, merchant—Clark.

John McKinney, farmer—Not decided.

W. C. Burrus, miller—Clark.

W. B. Newsome, merchant—Non committal.

W. M. Bagley, ex-county treasurer—Throckmorton.

Senator H. A. Finch—Hogg against Clark.

M. H. Garnett, attorney—Gustave Cook.

Wylie's Choice.

[News.]

WYLIE, Tex., Feb. 27.—Prof. erences for governor:

S. S. Jackson, M. D. good man to beat Hogg.

Rutler Fowler, farmer man against Hogg, Throck ton.

A. H. Burns, merchant—

C. F. Snaze, merchant man but Hogg.

J. A. Scott, farmer—Ro

J. M. Brown, farmer—

H. H. Calloway, merch Hogg to Clark.

W. F. Russell—Ross.

C. L. Calley, hotel—Cla

M. L. Jones, railway ag Any good man to beat Ho

Howard Phillips, far Any good man to beat H

J. J. Wilkerson, saloon good man to beat Hogg.

W. H. McCulla, city ma —Ross.

L. Forman, farmer—Ro

J. H. Sharp, farmer—Ro

L. B. Bullitt, barber—

E. A. Housewright, far Ross.

J. C. Stone, farmer—Ro

A. G. McAdams, by ag Clark.

H. E. Burns, cotton buy Ross.

S. K. McCallon, merch Ross.

J. J. Holloman—Ross.

Thomas W. Perkins, edi Any good man to beat Hog

J. C. Wylie, merchant— the man to beat Hogg.

The above parties were interrogated as preference senator. They are all unanimous for Mills. T not in favor of Mills were:

H. H. Calloway, merch Culberson.

C. L. McCalley, hotel— berson.

W. H. McCulla, city ma —Chilton.

Thomas W. Perkins, edi Culberson.

A cream of tartar baking powder—Highest of all in leavening strength.—
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Established by Government Tests the Standard Baking Powder. The very Giant of leavening agents. Has a larger use than all other cream of tartar baking powders combined.

Prof. HAINES, of Rush Medical College, Consulting Chemist Chicago Board of Health: "I find the Royal Baking Powder superior to all the others in every respect."

Dr. H. A. MOTT, U. S. Government Chemist: "The Royal is undoubtedly the purest and most reliable baking powder made."

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The N. Y. STATE ANALYST: "The Royal Baking Powder is superior to any other powder which I have examined."

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INDIANA STATE CHEMIST: "Royal Baking Powder is perfectly free from any deleterious or injurious substance."

Avoid all baking powders that require larger cans than the Royal to hold an equal weight. This is sure evidence of their adulteration.

Houston and Texas Central Railway Time Table.

Going	North,	No. 13	Arrives	5:35	a. m.
"	"	" 3	"	9:33	a. m.
"	"	" 2	"	8:38	p. m.
"	South	" 2	"	6:02	a. m
"	"	" 4	"	4:45	p. m.
"	"	" 14	"	9:11	p. m.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.
Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. S. Weaver, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. ——— superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

METHODIST.
Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:15 p. m.. Rev. J. A. Stafford, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:45 a. m. ——— superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

CHRISTIAN.
Preaching every Sabbath morning at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Elder Pritchett, astor. Sunday school every Sabbath 9:30 a. m. P. Harris, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

BAPTIST.
Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:45 p. m.. Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. C. Perry, superintendent.

Announcements.

General Election Nov. 1, 1892.
Subject to the Democratic Party.

For County Judge:
L. C. Clifton.

For County Court Clerk:
John A. Walden.
Tom P. Williams.
W. C. Jones.
S. A. Chapman.

For District Court Clerk:
Sam K. Rudolph.

For Conuty Treasurer:
W. H. Taylor.

For County Attorney:
T. F. Mangum,
G. R. Smith.

For Sheriff:
A. W. Knighton.
J. L. Moulden.
Gab. Beck.

For Assessor of Taxes:
W. G. Barnes.
Jno. Y. Bowen.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
Mack Smith.
S. H. Fox.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 1.
J. T. Andrews

For Constable Precinct No. 1.
Tom H. Jones.

CITY ELECTION, APRIL 5, 1892.
For City Attorney.
Z. M. Shirley.
J. N. Grisham,

For City Marshal:
Ed Throckmorton.
Sam Burk.

For City Assessor and Collector:
J. W. Bradley.
Bob Davis.

For City Treasurer:
Edgar M. Board.
W. H. Sims.

LOCAL NEWS.

Our friends will please remember that The DEMOCRAT is located east of the square, next to J. P. Dowell's hardware house.

Court adjourned Saturday night last.

Jailor Brady is up and slowly recovering.

The city primary election will be held on Friday the 12th instant.

The clerk's office has been fitted up with a new desk.

Miss Lottie Magner is assistant teacher at Spring Hill.

Jot Woodal of Verona was in the city yesterday.

Local politics are assuming various shapes and dark horses are in their glory.

Send in your communications early in the week and greatly oblige the editor.

Pace & Levy from Terrell have purchased the R. M. Board stock of goods,

S. A. Cotner, of Copeville, was a pleasant visitor at our office yesterday.

Bristol & Porter have opened up an implement store on East Louisiana street.

The artesian well casing has arrived and work will be resumed at an early date.

A revival is in progress at the Christian church. Rev. Rogers conducting.

We are sorry to see Uncle Jimmy Woods so unwell. He can hardly get around.

We hear of a great many farmers planting corn, and some are done planting.

We feel greatly encouraged with the interest the people are taking in the DEMOCRAT.

On Friday pleasant socials were had at Beecher Comerons, M. C. McMahan and John Hamilton's.

See orders of commanding general Gordon of the United Confederate Veteran's in this issue.

H. W. Ardinger has returned from the eastern markets where he purchased a large stock of dry goods.

We are glad to note that Prof. J. T. Bell of Viney is able to teach after a severe siege of lagrippe.

Esq. Solomon, formerly a resident of Blue Ridge, is now a candidate for county judge of Greer county.

On Thursday a pleasant social was given in honor of Miss Lula Irwin, at the residence of John Kilman.

Little Lewis Wilson, of Fayburgh had a rough and tumble "scrap" with a calf one day last week.

East Louisiana street is on a large boom. Two new brick houses are being built and others filling up rapidly.

Mrs. Sallie Douglass returned this week from Ft. Worth, where she has been on a visit to relatives and friends.

The alliance at Willow Springs is progressing rapidly. Public meetings are held monthly with success.

A valued communication from Whites Grove will appear next issue.

We received a communication last evening from Viney which owing to its lateness will have to be deferred until our next issue.

We are pleased to get a communication from Farmersville this week. We hope to hear from our sister city of Collin often hereafter.

M. Aron arrived from New York last Friday, and is now able to show the people a large stock of spring goods.

We received a pleasant visit from S. A. Chapman of Spring-Hill community, who favored us by renewing for the DEMOCRAT.

We regret to chronicle the death of uncle John Spurgin who died at his home near Lucas at 10 o'clock a. m. on yesterday. We will give a more extended notice of his death next issue.

S. H. Fox announces as a candidate for commissioner, of precinct No. 1. Mr. Fox is well known throughout the precinct, as an honest and able gentleman, who is willing for the voters to scrutinize his work in the past. Those who has examined his work over the county will speak for him. Give him a careful consideration.

A democrat mass meeting was held at the courthouse last Saturday night, with W. T. Beverly in the chair. Speeches were made by H. C. Mack, J. L. Doggett and others in favor of city organization and nominations. An executive committee was appointed with a member from each ward and a primary election ordered to nominate city candidates.

W. G. Barnes is a candidate for county assessor. Uncle Billy is an old resident of Collin county, and in former years has ably filled the office to which he now aspires. Also he has done a great deal of hard work as deputy of that office. If the people of Collin county select Uncle Billy as assessor of taxes we guarantee he will give satisfaction, in view of his knowledge with the details connected therewith, and his gentlemanly bearing towards all.

We are sorry to learn there has been more disturbance in the Rhea's Mill neighborhood. Some one fired several shots into a negro cabin last Monday morning about 3 o'clock, and one day last week a negro school was routed, about six miles from Weston, by parties unknown. More annonymous notices have been stuck up in the vicinity of Mr. Muncy. We trust that the trouble will be allayed without further disturbance.

A nobby line of young men's suits at M. Aron.

See Jno. Y. Bowen's announcement as a candidate for Assessor of Taxes. Everybody who knows Mr. Bowen is aware of the fact that he is one of the most honorable citizens of the county, as can be substantiated by conversing with his neighbors. If the voters of Collin county select him for that office they will have nothing to regret. Give him a careful consideration and if further information is wanted call on the voters of precinct No 2.

Mr. S. A. Chapman announces in this issue of The DEMOCRAT, as a candidate for county court clerk, subject to the action of the democrat party. Mr. Chapman was born and raised in Collin county, during which time he served as justice of the peace, precinct No. 2, one term. He bears a high reputation and if selected by the voters of Collin county, for the position to which he aspires, we have no doubt, but what he will give satisfaction. Give him your consideration.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at E. N. McAuley & Bro. drug store. Large size 50c. and $1.

Roll of Honor.

The following named gentlemen came forward and subscribed for The DEMOCRAT this week:

W. J. Young, J. W. Brazeal, J. F. Wilds, W. A. McBee, E. D. Thompson, S. A. Cotner, Jot Woodall, J. A. Carter.

The largest and most complete stock of men's and boy's clothing in the city at M. Aron.

The following named gentlemen have our thanks for subscription paid since our last issue:

S. A. Chapman, Wm. Phillips, J. B. Hickey, A. S. Graves, R. D. Hickman, T. G. Boorman, J. T. Branch, T. H. Foster and D. N. Dunn.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

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J. T. BRANCH,
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An elegant line of gentlemen's furnishing goods at M. Aron.

Married.

Near Hilltown, Denton county, Texas, at the residence of Mr. Summerville, Mr. B. H. Williams to Miss Nora Sublett. Rev. Sullivan officiating. R. R. Parker and Miss Street, E. H. Keen and Miss Hufford attendants. DEMOCRAT wishes for the contracting parties a long life of complete happiness.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises sores, ulcers, salt rheum fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, childblains, corns and all skin eruptions and Positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box
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Collin Republicans.

MCKINNEY, Tex., Feb. 27.—The republicans of Collin county met in convention in the county judge's office. The house was called to order by Capt. W. L. Boyd, chairman of the county executive committee, who stated the object of the convention to be to elect delegates to the state convention to be convened in Austin March, 1892. Captain W. L. Boyd was chosen chairman and S. H. Cole secretary. Nine delegates and nine alternates were chosen as follows: Delegates—Capt. W. H. Love, Ed. Milligan, A. L. Cole, H. E. Smith, M. B. Rexrode, Sam Lewis, W. C. Wilson, J. A. P. Wallace and Capt. W. L. Boyd. Alternates—Ham Rutledge, E. H. Bowlby, C. W. Noyes, S. H. Cole, James Lewis, J. P. Duncan, J. F. Ragsdale, G. A. Wilson, and Tom Andrews.

The following resolution by Capt. W. H. Love was unanimously adopted;

We, the republicans of Collin county, view with satisfaction the administration of President Harrison and heartily indorse the same, and favor his renomination for the coming contest of 1892, believing that he will carry our flag to victory and honor.

On motion the delegates go uninstructed to the state convention.

Several speeches were made and all seemed confident of a coming victory for the National ticket.

The Handsomest Lady in McKinney

Remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when other cough remedies had no effect whatever. Go to prove this and convince you of its merit, any druggist will give you a Sample Bottle Free. Large size 50c and $1.

The Teel-Levy Nuptials.

On Sunday eve Feb. 21st 1892, at 3 o'clock p. m. Mr. J. T. Teel of Weston and Miss Belle Levy of Celina, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony that none, "save God" can put assunder.

At 1 o'clock p. m. quite a number of friends started in persuit of the anxious to-be-husband, arriving at the residence of the brides father, just in time to hear Rev. W. R. Manning pronounce them man and wife, with a short, but impressive ceremony.

We give a partial list of those who attended the enjoyable affair viz. Mr. Alex Robertson and Miss Jessie Billingsby, Mr. Terry and Miss Lillie Billingsby, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hubbard, Messr's T. M. Douglas, A. Burch and D. Orendorff. After spending a few brief moments, the crowd dispersed, each going to their respective places of abode, yet, none so happy, as our friend Teel, who will hereafter, dine sumptuously with his "better half," at the boarding house, of J. S. Helms. Prof. Teel, is not only a promising young gentleman, but has already "merited that honor as association, will learn of principles." It is useless to comment on the good qualities of his fair bride, as that pleasing countenance speaks for itself and proves a kind and agreeable disposition. What better advantages could life afford!

May their cares be blown away as were the clouds on their wedding day, as that important omen, the weather, was propitious. A FRIEND.

The Population of McKinney

Is about 5,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all our readers not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Trial size free. Large Bottles 50c and $1. Sold by all druggists

Nevada.

An entertainment was given Monday night. Quite a number of young people from Farmersville attended. A handsome cake was voted the most popular young lady present, at 5 cents a vote. Miss Maggie Brockman of Nevada and Miss Ida Rike of Farmersville were the candidates. The voting was lively. The cake brought $115 and was awarded the Farmersville candidate.

FARMERSVILLE LOCALS.

Farmersville Gets the Cake.

FARMERSVILLE, Feb. 29, '91.
Editor Democrat:

I will attempt to write you a few dots from this place.

Our farmers are about ready to plant corn. Most of them are about up with plowing until corn planting commences.

Our people are cheerful, notwithstanding the hard times. Our merchants are doing a fair business. Health of town and country are improving some. We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Rike's little child, which has been sick for sometime with Bronchitus. Its parents had about given up all hope of its recovery some three or four days ago, but the little sufferer lived until this morning, when it passed to its home above. Mr. and Mrs. Rike have the sympathy of our people.

Our townsman, L. C. Clifton, candidate for county judge, is around shaking hands with our boys, and the writer predicts that Mr. Clifton will get the support of our people. Mr. Clifton has been among us for quite awhile, and is worthy of the judgeship, and is well qualified for the position if the people should elect him to that office.

Our young people are having a social once in awhile. Several of our young men and young ladies attended a festival at Nevada last week, given in behalf of Nevada Brass band. The following are the names of those who attended from this place; Charles M. Honaker and Miss Ida Rike, A. M. Connor and Miss Nannie Woodard, Jack Whorton and Misses Mabel Looney, Sallie Hardin and Mrs. Sallie Cook, Will Foster and Miss Emma Utt, James Hudleston and Miss Beulah Harris. Before refreshments were served the committee decided to raffle or sell to the highest bidders a nice cake, and in order to make it interesting Miss Ida Rike, of Farmersville, and Miss Maggie Brockman, of Nevada, were selected as two of the prettiest young ladies to be competitors. Of course our Farmersville boys did not propose to be out done, and the Nevada boys proposed keeping that cake at home, but after it was run up to almost one hunred dollars the Nevada boys give it up and our boys carried off the cake.

BEJAMIN.

Important Announcement.

TO THE LADIES:—A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of McKinney and Collin county to visit our Dry goods establishment and learn as well as see the most complete and very latest styles of Dress Goods and trimmings ever before shown in McKinney. Our Mr. Aron has just returned from New York where he has spent the last seven weeks in selecting the very latest styles of Dress Goods, trimmings, etc. Therefore it will be to your interest to call and see our goods before purchasing elsewhere, as we shall spare no pains to please you in both quality and price.

Our millinery and Dress making department are now complete having secured the service of one of the best Dress makers in the state will enable us to give perfect fits and also the latest styles. Again promising you the latest styles and lowest prices, I am very truly,

M. ARON.

The rainfall in February last was .9375 inches, as kept by C. B. Moore, six miles North of McKinney.

To the Voters of Collin County.

I hereby announce as a candidate for the office of County Assessor of Collin county, subject to the action of the Democraticparty. I have been commissioner from Precinct No. 2 for the last four years and during that time I have used every honorable effort to keep down and curtail the expenses of Collin county—voting every time, where possibly, against the allowance of ex officio to officials of our county, believing that salaries allowed to officials of our county, in most cases, are double the amount that should be paid and in some cases are three times greater. I hereby pledge myself not to accept the official allowance to the assessor of taxes should I be honored with the position, believing as I do that the great masses of our people are not able to pay ex-officio on 5 cent cotton.

JOHN Y. BOWEN.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

Last evening Mr. S. A. Cotner, of Copeville, led Miss Annie L. Foster, of Oklahoma, to the marriage altar in this city, Rev. A. P. Scofield officiating. The marriage ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends at Weisman's store, after which the happy pair left for their future home at Copeville.

List of Criminal Cases Tried in the District Court, Collin County, of January Term 1892.

The State, vs Frank Johnson, theft from the person, not guilty.

State, vs Jake Davis, accessory to assault to rob, guilty, 2 years in the penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, forgery, guilty, 3 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, forgery, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

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State, vs Bill Willis alias J. M. Jones, attempting to pass forged instrument, guilty 2 years.

State, vs Willis, alias Joe Clark, passing forged instrument, guilty, 2 years.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, attempting to pass forged instrument, guilty, 2 years.

State, vs Dan Young, burglary, guilty, 2 years in reformatory.

State, vs Dan Williams, theft, guilty, six months on county road.

State, vs Frank Bennett, assault to murder, guilty aggravated assault, 12 months on county road and $200 fine.

State, vs J. D. Wilson, theft of horse, guilty, 6 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Cot Quisenberry, theft of horse, guilty, 5 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Edgar Board, assault to murder, guilty, aggravated assault, $25 fine.

State vs John Hayden, theft over $20 value, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Dan McAlister, theft of horse, guilty, 5 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Will Thompson, theft over $20 value, guilty, 5 years in reformatory.

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State, vs Will Johnson, theft over $20 value, guilty, 2 years in reformatory.

State, vs Allen Cagle, theft of horse, guilty, 5 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Colonel Holmes, burglary, guilty, 7 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Will Owens, alias Dynamite Hays, robbery, guilty, 10 years.

State, vs Allen Cagle, burglary, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

Deafness Can't be Cured

by local application as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that we cannot cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Marriage Bells.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by county clerk Keen, since our last report:

E. L. Francis and Ella Tidwell, G. W. Carroll and Margaret Roper, T. A. Earps and L. E. Pool, B. H. Williams and Noah Sublett.

Greek Physical Culture Restored.

Prof. and Mrs. Geo. W. Dale, of Ft. Worth, Texas, have just arrived in town from Vernon, Texas, where they have just closed a very successful session of their famous school of Elocution and Physical culture. Prof. T. S. Cox, superintendent of Vernon city schools, says in a private letter, "your work in elocution and physical culture done for us has commanded the admiration of all who have a knowledge of it. You both are doing a great work, and we are truly glad to have had you in our midst for five weeks."

Prof. and Mrs. Dale will open their school in this city for a course of work, which is endorsed and prescribed by physicians wherever they go.

Smith Bros.

Keep on hand fresh drugs, patent medicines of all kinds. Also toilet articles of any description; in fact, everything in the drug line. Call and see them, east side of the square.

THE LITTLE STORE ON THE CORNER.

New Spring Goods

Now coming in rapidly

FRESH and NEW---GOOD LIGHT GOOD GOODS, LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Everything new in DRESS GOODS. Everything new in TRIMMINGS. Endless profusion in WHITE GOODS, Laces, Hamburg, Mull and Swiss Edgings. Prints, Ginghams, Domestics—Everything in Staple Goods.

Kid Gloves, Silk, Lisle and Cotton Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Shoes and Slippers for all, from the little toddler up.

Hats and Clothing for all Mankind

Give us a look---we want a little of your trade at the LITTLE STORE on the North West Corner of the Square.

H. W. Ardinger.

Children suits in endless variety at M. Aron.

Call at this office when you want horse and jack bills printed.

A superb line of those celebrated London and Paris tailor made suits at M. Aron.

☞ Remember the Nickel Store when you are in the city.

☞ Call at the Nickel Store and see the new goods.

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☞ The Nickel Store has just received a new shipment of glass and tinware.

☞ The Nickel Store sold out clear during the holidays, and now they have stocked up with new goods of all kind.

For finest, cheapest and most reliable fruit trees, shade trees, grape vines, berry vines, roses, shrubs and evergreens go to McKinney Nurseries.

49-6t.

LADIES
Needing a tonic, or children who want building up, should take
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigestion, Biliousness and Liver Complaints.

Attention!

For cash or thoroughly secured credit, I will sell at unprecedentedly low prices, wholesale or retail, my entire stock of wagons, plows, cultivators, stalk cutters, champion cotton planters, barb wire and groceries. J. P. WEBSTER.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache. With each bottle there is an ingeni-nasal injector for the more successful treatment of those complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness los of appetite, coming up of the blood, yellow skin, when for 75c. we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

This is beyond question the most successful cough medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst case of cough, croup and bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10c, 50c and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

On What a Cough.

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shilo's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest use Shilo's Porous Plaster. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

A cream of tartar baking powder—Highest of all in leavening strength.—
Latest U. S. Gov't Food Report.

ABSOLUTELY PURE.

Established by Government Tests the Standard Baking Powder. The very Giant of leavening agents. Has a larger use than all other cream of tartar baking powders combined.

Prof. HAINES, of Rush Medical College, Consulting Chemist Chicago Board of Health: "I find the Royal Baking Powder superior to all the others in every respect."

Dr. H. A. MOTT, U. S. Government Chemist: "The Royal is undoubtedly the purest and most reliable baking powder made."

Prof. PALMER, University of Illinois: "I find Royal Baking Powder invariably composed of wholesome ingredients, entirely free from adulteration or impurities of any kind."

SAN FRANCISCO BOARD OF HEALTH: "In our judgment it is impossible to make a purer or stronger baking powder than the Royal."

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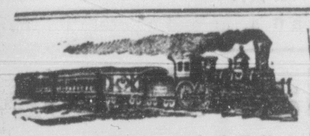
WISCONSIN FOOD COMMISSIONER: "Royal Baking Powder is of high and uniform strength and quality; its ingredients pure and wholesome."

INDIANA STATE CHEMIST: "Royal Baking Powder is perfectly free from any deleterious or injurious substance."

Avoid all baking powders that require larger cans than the Royal to hold an equal weight. This is sure evidence of their adulteration.



Houston and Texas Central Railway Time Table.

Going	North,	No. 13	Arrives	5:35	a. m.
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"	South	" 2	"	6:02	a. m
"	"	" 4	"	4:45	p. m.
"	"	" 14	"	9:11	p. m.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.
Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. S. Weaver, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. ———— superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

METHODIST.
Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:15 p. m.. Rev. J. A. Stafford, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:45 a. m. ———— superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

CHRISTIAN.
Preaching every Sabbath morning at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Elder Pritchett, astor. Sunday school every Sabbath 9:30 a. m. P. Harris, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

BAPTIST.
Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:45 p. m.. Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. C. Perry, superintendent.

Announcements.

General Election Nov. 1, 1892.
Subject to the Democratic Party.

For County Judge:
L. C. Clifton.

For County Court Clerk:
John A. Walden.
Tom P. Williams.
W. C. Jones.
S. A. Chapman.

For District Court Clerk:
Sam K. Rudolph.

For County Treasurer:
W. H. Taylor.

For County Attorney:
T. F. Mangum.
G. R. Smith.

For Sheriff:
A. W. Knighton.
J. L. Moulden.
Gab. Beck.

For Assessor of Taxes:
W. G. Barnes.
Jno. Y. Bowen.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
Mack Smith.
S. H. Fox.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 1.
J. T. Andrews

For Constable Precinct No. 1.
Tom H. Jones.

CITY ELECTION, APRIL 5, 1892.

For City Attorney.
Z. M. Shirley.
J. N. Grisham,

For City Marshal:
Ed Throckmorton.
Sam Burk.

For City Assessor and Collector:
J. W. Bradley.
Bob Davis.

For City Treasurer:
Edgar M. Board.
W. H. Sims.

LOCAL NEWS.

Our friends will please remember that The DEMOCRAT is located east of the square, next to J. P. Dowell's hardware house.

Court adjourned Saturday night last.

Jailor Brady is up and slowly recovering.

The city primary election will be held on Friday the 12th instant.

We received a communication last evening from Viney which owing to its lateness will have to be deferred until our next issue.

We are pleased to get a communication from Farmersville this week. We hope to hear from our sister city of Collin often hereafter.

M. Aron arrived from New York last Friday, and is now able to show the people a large stock of spring goods.

We received a pleasant visit from S. A. Chapman of Spring-Hill community, who favored us by renewing for the DEMOCRAT.

We regret to chronicle the death of uncle John Spurgin who died at his home near Lucas at 10 o'clock a. m. on yesterday. We will give a more extended notice of his death next issue.

S. H. Fox announces as a candidate for commissioner, of precinct No. 1. Mr. Fox is well known throughout the precinct, as an honest and able gentleman, who is willing for the voters to scrutinize his work in the past. Those who has examined his work over the county will speak for him. Give him a careful consideration.

A democrat mass meeting was held at the courthouse last Saturday night, with W. T. Beverly in the chair. Speeches were made by H. C. Mack, J. L. Doggett and others in favor of city organization and nominations. An executive committee was appointed with a member from each ward and a primary election ordered to nominate city candidates.

W. G. Barnes is a candidate for county assessor. Uncle Billy is an old resideni of Collin county, and in former years has ably filled the office to which he now aspires. Also he has done a great deal of hard work as deputy of that office. If the people of Collin county select Uncle Billy as assessor of taxes we guarantee he will give satisfaction, in view of his knowledge with the details connected therewith, and his gentlemanly bearing towards all.

We are sorry to learn there has been more disturbance in the Rhea's Mill neighborhood. Some one fired several shots into a negro cabin last Monday morning about 3 o'clock, and one day last week a negro school was routed, about six miles from Weston, by parties unknown. More annonymous notices have been stuck up in the vicinity of Mr. Muncy. We trust that the trouble will be allayed without further disturbance.

A nobby line of young men's suits at M. Aron.

See Jno. Y. Bowen's announcement as a candidate for Assessor of Taxes. Everybody who knows Mr. Bowen is aware of the fact that he is one of the most honorable citizens of the county, as can be substantiated by conversing with his neighbors. If the voters of Collin county select him for that office they will have nothing to regret. Give him a careful consideration and if further information is wanted call on the voters of precinct No 2.

Mr. S. A. Chapman announces in this issue of The DEMOCRAT, as a candidate for county court clerk, subject to the action of the democrat party. Mr. Chapman was born and raised in Collin county, during which time he served as justice of the peace, precinct No. 2, one term. He bears a high reputation and if selected by the voters of Collin county, for the position to which he aspires, we have no doubt, but what he will give satisfaction. Give him your consideration.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough; Cold, or any trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at E. N. McAuley & Bro. drug store. Large size 50c. and $1.

The clerk's office has been fitted up with a new desk.

Miss Lottie Magner is assistant teacher at Spring Hill.

Jot Woodal of Verona was in the city yesterday.

Local politics are assuming various shapes and dark horses are in their glory.

Send in your communications early in the week and greatly oblige the editor.

Pace & Levy from Terrell have purchased the R. M. Board stock of goods,

S. A. Cotner, of Copeville, was a pleasant visitor at our office yesterday.

Bristol & Porter have opened up an implement store on East Louisiana street.

The artesian well casing has arrived and work will be resumed at an early date.

A revival is in progress at the Christian church. Rev. Rogers conducting.

We are sorry to see Uncle Jimmy Woods so unwell. He can hardly get around.

We hear of a great many farmers planting corn, and some are done planting.

We feel greatly encouraged with the interest the people are taking in the DEMOCRAT.

On Friday pleasant socials were had at Beecher Comerons, M. C. McMahan and John Hamilton's.

See orders of commanding general Gordon of the United Confederate Veteran's in this issue.

H. W. Ardinger has returned from the eastern markets where he purchased a large stock of dry goods.

We are glad to note that Prof. J. T. Bell of Viney is able to teach after a severe siege of lagrippe.

Esq. Solomon, formerly a resident of Blue Ridge, is now a candidate for county judge of Greer county.

On Thursday a pleasant social was given in honor of Miss Lula Irwin, at the residence of John Kilman.

Little Lewis Wilson, of Fayburgh had a rough and tumble "scrap" with a calf one day last week.

East Louisiana street is on a large boom. Two new brick houses are being built and others filling up rapidly.

Mrs. Sallie Douglass returned this week from Ft. Worth, where she has been on a visit to relatives and friends.

The alliance at Willow Springs is progressing rapidly. Public meetings are held monthly with success.

A valued communication from Whites Grove will appear next issue.

Roll of Honor.

The following named gentlemen came forward and subscribed for The DEMOCRAT this week:

W. J. Young, J. W. Brazeal, J. F. Wilds, W. A. McBee, E. D. Thompson, S. A. Cotner, Jot Woodall, J. A. Carter.

The largest and most complete stock of men's and boy's clothing in the city at M. Aron.

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For Sale By E N McAULAY and Bro

Collin Republicans.

MCKINNEY, Tex., Feb. 27.—The republicans of Collin county met in convention in the county judge's office. The house was called to order by Capt. W. L. Boyd, chairman of the county executive committee, who stated the object of the convention to be to elect delegates to the state convention to be convened in Austin March, 1892. Captain W. L. Boyd was chosen chairman and S. H. Cole secretary. Nine delegates and nine alternates were chosen as follows: Delegates—Capt. W. H. Love, Ed. Milligan, A. L. Cole, H. E. Smith, M. B. Rexrode, Sam Lewis, W. C. Wilson, J. A. P. Wallace and Capt. W. L. Boyd. Alternates—Ham Rutledge, E. H. Bowlby, C. W. Noyes, S. H. Cole, James Lewis, J. P. Duncan, J. F. Ragsdale, G. A. Wilson, and Tom Andrews.

The following resolution by Capt. W. H. Love was unanimously adopted;

We, the republicans of Collin county, view with satisfaction the administration of President Harrison and heartily indorse the same, and favor his renomination for the coming contest of 1892, believing that he will carry our flag to victory and honor.

On motion the delegates go uninstructed to the state convention.

Several speeches were made and all seemed confident of a coming victory for the National ticket.

The Handsomest Lady in McKinney
Remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when other cough remedies had no effect whatever. So to prove this and convince you of its merit, any druggist will give you a Sample Bottle Free. Large size 50c and $1.

The Teel-Levy Nuptials.

On Sunday eve Feb. 21st 1892, at 3 o'clock p. m. Mr. J. T. Teel of Weston and Miss Belle Levy of Celina, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony that none, "save God" can put assunder.

At 1 o'clock p. m. quite a number of friends started in persuit of the anxious to-be-husband, arriving at the residence of the brides father, just in time to hear Rev. W. R. Manning pronounce them man and wife, with a short, but impressive ceremony.

We give a partial list of those who attended the enjoyable affair viz. Mr. Alex Robertson and Miss Jessie Billingsby, Mr. Terry and Miss Lillie Billingsby, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hubbard, Messr's T. M. Douglas, A. Burch and D. Orendorff. After spending a few brief moments, the crowd dispersed, each going to their respective places of abode, yet, none so happy, as our friend Teel, who will hereafter, dine sumptuously with his "better half," at the boarding house, of J. S. Helms. Prof. Teel, is not only a promising young gentleman, but has already "merited that honor as association, will learn of principles." It is useless to comment on the good qualities of his fair bride, as that pleasing countenance speaks for itself and proves a kind and agreeable disposition. What better advantages could life afford!

May their cares be blown away as were the clouds on their wedding day, as that important omen, the weather, was propitious. A FRIEND.

The Population of McKinney
Is about 5,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all our readers not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Trial size free. Large Bottles 50c and $1. Sold by all druggists

Nevada.

An entertainment was given Monday night. Quite a number of young people from Farmersville attended. A handsome cake was voted the most popular young lady present, at 5 cents a vote. Miss Maggie Brockman of Nevada and Miss Ida Rike of Farmersville were the candidates. The voting was lively. The cake brought $115 and was awarded the Farmersville candidate.

FARMERSVILLE LOCALS.

Farmersville Gets the Cake.

FARMERSVILLE, Feb. 29, '91.
Editor Democrat:

I will attempt to write you a few dots from this place.

Our farmers are about ready to plant corn. Most of them are about up with plowing until corn planting commences.

Our people are cheerful, notwithstanding the hard times. Our merchants are doing a fair business. Health of town and country are improving some. We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Rike's little child, which has been sick for sometime with Bronchitus. Its parents had about given up all hope of its recovery some three or four days ago, but the little sufferer lived until this morning, when it passed to its home above. Mr. and Mrs. Rike have the sympathy of our people.

Our townsman, L. C. Clifton, candidate for county judge, is around shaking hands with our boys, and the writer predicts that Mr. Clifton will get the support of our people. Mr. Clifton has been among us for quite awhile, and is worthy of the judgeship, and is well qualified for the position if the people should elect him to that office.

Our young people are having a social once in awhile. Several of our young men and young ladies attended a festival at Nevada last week, given in behalf of Nevada Brass band. The following are the names of those who attended from this place; Charles M. Honaker and Miss Ida Rike, A. M. Connor and Miss Nannie Woodard, Jack Whorton and Misses Mabel Looney, Sallie Hardin and Mrs. Sallie Cook, Will Foster and Miss Emma Utt, James Hudleston and Miss Beulah Harris. Before refreshments were served the committee decided to raffle or sell to the highest bidders a nice cake, and in order to make it interesting Miss Ida Rike, of Farmersville, and Miss Maggie Brockman, of Nevada, were selected as two of the prettiest young ladies to be competitors. Of course our Farmersville boys did not propose to be out done, and the Nevada boys proposed keeping that cake at home, but after it was run up to almost one hunred dollars the Nevada boys give it up and our boys carried off the cake.

BEJAMIN.

Important Announcement.

To THE LADIES:—A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of McKinney and Collin county to visit our Dry goods establishment and learn as well as see the most complete and very latest styles of Dress Goods and trimmings ever before shown in McKinney. Our Mr. Aron has just returned from New York where he has spent the last seven weeks in selecting the very latest styles of Dress Goods, trimmings, etc. Therefore it will be to your interest to call and see our goods before purchasing elsewhere, as we shall spare no pains to please you in both quality and price.

Our millinery and Dress making department are now complete having secured the service of one of the best Dress makers in the state will enable us to give perfect fits and also the latest styles. Again promising you the latest styles and lowest prices, I am very truly,

M. ARON.

The rainfall in February last was .9375 inches, as kept by C. B. Moore, six miles North of McKinney.

To the Voters of Collin County.

I hereby announce as a candidate for the office of County Assessor of Collin county, subject to the action of the Democraticparty. I have been commissioner from Precinct No. 2 for the last four years and during that time I have used every honorable effort to keep down and curtail the expenses of Collin county—voting every time, where possibly, against the allowance of ex officio to officials of our county, believing that salaries allowed to officials of our county, in most cases, are double the amount that should be paid and in some cases are three times greater. I hereby pledge myself not to accept the official allowance to the assessor of taxes should I be honored with the position, believing as I do that the great masses of our people are not able to pay ex officio on 5 cent cotton.

JOHN Y. BOWEN.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

Last evening Mr. S. A. Cotner, of Copeville, led Miss Annie L. Foster, of Oklahoma, to the marriage altar in this city, Rev. A. P. Scofield officiating. The marriage ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends at Weisman's store, after which the happy pair left for their future home at Copeville.

List of Criminal Cases Tried in the District Court, Collin County, of January Term 1892.

The State, vs Frank Johnson, theft from the person, not guilty.

State, vs Jake Davis, accessory to assault to rob, guilty, 2 years in the penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, forgery, guilty, 3 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, forgery, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, forgery, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, passing forged instrument, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, passing forged instrument, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Bill Willis alias J. M. Jones, attempting to pass forged instrument, guilty 2 years.

State, vs Willis, alias Joe Clark, passing forged instrument, guilty, 2 years.

State, vs Bill Willis, alias T. J. Jones, attempting to pass forged instrument, guilty, 2 years.

State, vs Dan Young, burglary, guilty, 2 years in reformatory.

State, vs Dan Williams, theft, guilty, six months on county road.

State, vs Frank Bennett, assault to murder, guilty aggravated assault, 12 months on county road and $200 fine.

State, vs J. D. Wilson, theft of horse, guilty, 6 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Cot Quisenberry, theft of horse, guilty, 5 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Edgar Board, assault to murder, guilty, aggravated assault, $25 fine.

State vs John Hayden, theft over $20 value, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Dan McAlister, theft of horse, guilty, 5 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Will Thompson, theft over $20 value, guilty, 5 years in reformatory.

State, vs Will Thompson, theft over $20 value, guilty, 5 years in reformatory.

State, vs Will Johnson, theft over $20 value, guilty, 2 years in reformatory.

State, vs Allen Cagle, theft of horse, guilty, 5 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Colonel Holmes, burglary, guilty, 7 years in penitentiary.

State, vs Will Owens, alias Dynamite Hays, robbery, guilty, 10 years.

State, vs Allen Cagle, burglary, guilty, 2 years in penitentiary.

Deafness Can't be Cured
by local application as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachifn Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that we cannot cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Marriage Bells.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by county clerk Keen, since our last report:

E. L. Francis and Ella Tidwell, G. W. Carroll and Margaret Roper, T. A. Earps and L. E. Pool, B. H. Williams and Noah Sublett.

Greek Physical Culture Restored.

Prof. and Mrs. Geo. W. Dale, of Ft. Worth, Texas, have just arrived in town from Vernon, Texas, where they have just closed a very successful session of their famous school of Elocution and Physical culture. Prof. T. S. Cox, superintendent of Vernon city schools, says in a private letter, "your work in elocution and physical culture done for us has commanded the admiration of all who have a knowledge of it. You both are doing a great work, and we are truly glad to have had you in our midst for five weeks."

Prof. and Mrs. Dale will open their school in this city for a course of work, which is endorsed and prescribed by physicians wherever they go.

Smith Bros.

Keep on hand fresh drugs, patent medicines of all kinds. Also toilet articles of any description; in fact, everything in the drug line. Call and see them, east side of the square.

THE LITTLE STORE ON THE CORNER.

New Spring Goods

Now coming in rapidly

FRESH and NEW---GOOD LIGHT GOOD GOODS, LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Everything new in DRESS GOODS. Everything new in TRIMMINGS. Endless profusion in WHITE GOODS, Laces, Hamburg, Mull and Swiss Edgings. Prints, Ginghams, Domestics—Everything in Staple Goods.

Kid Gloves, Silk, Lisle and Cotton Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Shoes and Slippers for all, from the little toddler up.

Hats and Clothing for all Mankind

Give us a look---we want a little of your trade at the LITTLE STORE on the North West Corner of the Square.

H. W. Ardinger.

Children suits in endless variety at M. Aron.

Call at this office when you want horse and jack bills printed.

A superb line of those celebrated London and Paris tailor made suits at M. Aron.

Remember the Nickel Store when you are in the city.

Call at the Nickel Store and see the new goods.

New goods at the Nickel Store.

The Nickel Store has just received a new shipment of glass and tinware.

The Nickel Store sold out clear during the holidays, and now they have stocked up with new goods of all kind.

For finest, cheapest and most reliable fruit trees, shade trees, grape vines, berry vines, roses, shrubs and evergreens go to McKinney Nurseries.

49-6t.

LADIES
Needing a tonic, or children who want building up, should take
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigestion, Biliousness and Liver Complaints.

Attention!

For cash or thoroughly secured credit, I will sell at unprecedentedly low prices, wholesale or retail, my entire stock of wagons, plows, cultivators, stalk cutters, champion cotton planters, barb wire and groceries. J. P. WEBSTER.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of those complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness los of appetite, coming up of the blood, yellow skin, when for 75c. we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

This is beyond question the most successful cough medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst case of cough, croup and bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10c, 50c and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

On What a Cough.

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shilo's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest use Shilo's Porous Plaster. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

A Statement as to the McKinney Club's Action.

McKINNEY, Tex., Feb. 20.—[To THE NEWS.]—In your issue of the 7th instant is an article from your reporter at this place which misrepresents. I would have given it a notice sooner, but for the want of time. It is generally conceded that the News wants all sorts of facts and wants them fairly stated, and that is what its readers desire and what they are entitled to.

The reporter might as well have given the resolution he referred to, for it was short and in these words:

"Resolved, that it is the sense of this club that the financial relief demanded by the business interest of the country is not to be met by the measures of the third party, but that the same is to be accomplished by the reduction of tariff, by the free coinage of silver and the payment of government deficiencies in full legal tender treasury notes redeemable in gold or silver coin." Just what there was in such a resolution to be denominated "the Culberson idea" remains to be explained. If there is anything in it, the paternity of which can be ascribed to Col. Culberson, it should have been pointed out, for we are all willing to accord to each and every member of our able delegation in congress all the honors they have won and if there is anything in the resolution that is particularly Culbersonian he should have the full credit due him for it.

In the close of the article referred to is the language: "Mr. Mack is the gentleman popularly credited with having pledged Collin's three vote to Mr. Mills at Waco. What the result of boosting the ideas of Mr. Culberson will be, remains to be seen." Taking the whole article together and reading between the lines, it simply aims to make it appear that the democratic club here is indorsing Culberson and that in offering the resolution, notwithstanding my statement at Waco that the three votes of this county are for Mills, I did so in the interest of Culberson, or that it would have that result.

At a recent and well attended meeting of our democratic club a resolution indorsing Mr. Mills for the senate passed unanimously, your reporter, so far as I have ever been able to learn, being the only member of the club then present who opposes Mr. Mills, and he retired with ease and dignity just before the vote was taken This he failed to take notice of in his report to the News. Also I will state that I did say at Waco that the three members from this county were for Mills for senate, and I now repeat what I then said, that they will vote for him at the extra session. I will state now why I said so then and still say so: 1. Because these three gentlemen have so stated to me and to a large number of their constituents, and I am confident they will make their word good, They have pledged themselves to their constituents to vote for Mills and on their pledges their constituents can speak for them. Secondly, the representatives and senator from this county will vote for Mr. Mills because fully two thirds of the democrats of this county favor his election to the senate. True there is opposition to him here in Collin county. About one-third of our good democrats for reasons of their own prefer some one else. The republicans are against him because he opposes the present high protective tariff and they favor it. The advocates of the subtreasury oppose him because he gave their wildcat financial scheme a fearful overhauling two years ago, from which it has not yet fully recovered. And there is another miscellaneous element ithout party, name or place, ho call themselves democrats ut can always be relied on to vote against the nominees of the party and in many other ays demonstrate their disloy lty to the party. These are pposed to Mills because the democrats are for him. The democracy of this county, and as far as can be judged from the indication throughout the state, is for the Hon. R Q. Mills for United States senator and it is not unsafe to predict that he will be elected without great trouble.

The small and unfair methods resorted to to compass his defeat will not accomplish that end. The people of Texas know him too well to be driven away from him by the misrepsisentations of his enemies. Combinations will prove impotent and unavailing. Nor will the calling of the extra session of the legislature, in such haste, after a along and unexplained delay of the performance of that public duty by the governor, do the work for Mr. Mills. The manifest purpose of this action was to bring on the senatorial election as near as it could be calculated, at the time when the free silver excitement in congress would be at its highest pitch, and thereby arouse some under prejudice against the coming senator; but like all other desperate schemes it will fail of its purpose.

H. C. MACK.

Unworthy of notice--A Sarcastic Writer.

ALLEN Feb. 22, 1892.

Editor Democrat.

I copy the following from the Kansas City Times:

"Three bills of alliance senators were reported back yesterday, and all three were classed with the doomed. Two of them were deemed not even worthy of a moments debate. Thus do Peffer and Kyle, make their marks on the pages of the nation's history."

Why of course senator Morrill and his alwise and infalible finance committee could see no right in a measure which would only benefit farmers and workingmen.

I have no doubt these good and wise men would have spared the miserable farmers the humiliation of this public rebuke, had it lain in their power. But those wretched alliance men brought it upon themselves by their wicked and foolish agitation. They went so far in two states as to capture the legislatures and elect two vulgar farmers to the United States senate, to desecrate that holy spot by repeating the pleadings of their ignorant constituents. Such sacrilege was never before spoken within those sacred walls. Base blasphemies uttered against the Golden Gods of this August body must be rebuked. Wonder is that more severe measures were not taken to punish these two heretics, but here is shown the mild and gentle disposition of the great Morrill, and his sweet tempered colleagues. Peffer and Kyle were "set upon," but in the mildest manner possible, and no bodily harm was done them. For this, they and their foolish followers should ever feel thankful. Peffer and Kyle must learn that the "great senate" is no place to mention the name "farmer" or "laborer" or to discuss matters pertaining to them. "The great" senate has higher and nobler duties to perform. Again, we should feel thankful to that wise, righteous moral educator, the K. C. Times for its implied information that you alliance men are a set of fools.

The editor of this great paper has a head full of brains, and the very air in his vicinity is pregnant with wisdom. You need not again be under the necessity of exposing your ignorance before the national congress, if you will first consult this great man, before presenting your claims. Farmers be contented with your lot. What if cotton is but five cents per pound, and you can't pay off the mortgage on the farm? Work harder and don't be so extravagant. Make your wife get along with two calico and one worsted dress a year. Make one suit of Sunday clothes for yourself last you three years, and maybe you can save at least enough next year to pay the interest on your mortgage. What if our congressmen do get five thousand dollars for an average of five months work in a year. They are great men and worthy, while you are nothing but an ignorant farmer.

Be meek and humble and submit to the powers that be, and if you finally starve to death, there is a land beyond the skies, where there is happiness for those servants who obey their master.

I. M. WILLING (?)

Willow Spring's Bulletin-Ready to Defend.

Editor Democrat:

The health of Lucas is not good at present. Grandpa Spurgin is not well.

Mr. Jack Moss, the proprietor of the Lucas trading post, has been ill for quite awhile, not able to attend to his store, but his ever vigilent partner, J. D Morrow, may be seen at most all hours behind the counter. He and his clerk, Ben Snider are busy most of the time.

Notwithstanding, old grippe's strong hand is in the neighborhood, our farmers are still alive in the interest of the farms. Mr. John Bowman has a farm of 175 acres, most of which has been turned lately; this I suppose is about an average for our farmers.

While our farmers are laboring on their farms, they are thinking and studying the impositions practiced on their class of laborers. They read the different newspapers and find so many poor people suffering for the want of food and clothing. They see accounts of so many homesteads mortgaged to foreign capitalists; and they see trouble everywhere of this kind, and will ask, what is the cause of all this? We hear answered on all sides, "bad management, trifliness and lazziness of farmers; indolence of laborers;" and then, when they ask the questions, why is cotton so low? Why is all products so low? Why can't a man make a living and stay out of debt in his agricultural pursuits? Then the answer is, overproduction, they raise more than can be consumed. Then they see that one lie is told to brace another. If it is "lazziness and idleness," why is there such overproduction? If there is such overproduction, why is there so many hungry and half clad people in the republic?

I'll tell you kind readers this what makes our people alliance members. They are flocking in from all sides; farmers are getting their eyes open, they see their doom if they don't act, and that at once. I'll tell you, this little order that sprung up here in our Lone State State, has produced an earthquake, that is felt through out the whole Republic of the United States. Yea, it is shaking old England. It has caused a mighty jar in the very city of London. Our farmers have studied all this, and they are alliance men from A to Z, etc Now Mr. Editor if you have any politicians up there, who are contrary to any principles of the alliance, just send them down to Willow Springs and we have talent here, that can knock every bit of the anti from them, they can curry them so slick that you would think they were race horses, when they returned.

HORSEFLY.

WASHINGTON DAY.

With Cunningham in the Schoolroom.

In the afternoon of Feb. 22, the writer in company with his school (Wetsel) visited the Whites Grove school without a minute's previous warning we walked into the schoolhouse, to find Mr. Cunningham engaged with a language class a part of his regular daily exercise. The visiting school was seated at a single tap from the class bell, all was quiet and the recitation was resumed without any seeming embarrassment to either pupils.

On call for grammar class A. The members of that grade from both schools took their place at the black board and clearly demonstrated the efficiency of parallel grading in schools.

Prof. Cunningham managed the two classes equally as successfully as he could have done his own separately.

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was given during which the two schools intermingled in jestive sport. After which the pupils engaged in an hours spelling showing great proficiency in that direction.

The visiting school then took their leave, inviting the Grove school to visit them in turn Altogether it was a pleasant affair for all and a day never to be forgotten by the pupils, and one of those little oases too seldom thrown into the teacher's great desert life.

SCIPIO.

OIL ON THE WATERS.

The Gray and the Blue Have Harmonized

THE ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE

And Peace Reigns—Platform of Principles Placed Before the People, Brief and Pointed, Listened to With Breathless Silence by Those Present.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23.—The most exciting and important session of the great National Industrial conference was expected to take place, but a blue and gray mass meeting, into which the convention resolved itself before grappling with the platform, temporarily poured oil upon the troubled waters. Commander Van Devort of Nebraska, for the Union veterans present in the convention, pledged President Polk, for the old Confederate soldiers in attendance, that they would join hands to bury sectional hate and a treaty, if such it might be termed, was ratified in speeches by ex-Senator Van Wyck of Nebraska and Ben Terrell of Texas.

Amid almost breathless silence the convention listened, while I. Donnelly, full voiced, began impressively to read the platform. The platform puts forth for union and independence and says:

1. We declare the union of the labor forces of the United States today accomplished, to be permanent and perpetual. May its spirit enter into all hearts for the salvation of the republic and the uplifting of mankind.

2. Wealth belongs to him who creates it. Every dollar taken from industry without equivalent is robbery. "If any man will not work, neither shall he eat." The interests of the rural and urban laborer are the same; their enemies identical.

3. We demand a national currency safe, sound and flexible, issued by the general government only, which shall be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and that, without the use of banking corporations, a just and equitable medium of circulation shall be provided at a tax not to exceed 2 per cent as set forth in the sub-treasury plan of the Farmers' Alliance or some better system; also by payments in discharge of its obligation for public improvements.

4. We demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

5. We demand that the amount of the circulating medium be speedily increased to not less than $50 per capita.

6. We demand a graduated income tax.

7. We believe that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible, in the hands of the people, and hence demand all national and state revenues be limited to the necessary expenses of government economically and honestly administered.

8. We demand that postal savings banks shall be established by the government for safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

9. Your sub-committee on a land plank be to submit for approval the following: Land, including all the natural resources of wealth, is the heritage of all the people and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All lands now held by railroads and other corporations in excess of their actual needs, and all lands owned by aliens, should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.

10. Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people.

11. The telegraph and telephone, like the postoffice system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

12. We demand the government issue legal tender notes and pay union soldiers the difference between the price of the depreciated money he was paid and gold.

Resolved, That we hail this conference as the consummation of a perfect union of the hearts and hands of all sections of the common country; men who wore the gray and men who wore the blue meet here to extinguish the last smoldering embers of the civil war in the tears of joy of a united and happy people, and we agree to carry the stripes and stars forward forever to the highest point of national greatness."

The wildest excitement took place after the reading of the platform. One of the suspected "vampires of corporations" on the floor attempted to edge in a motion amending the document and was immediately ejected from the hall. The platform was then adopted without one dissenting voice. It was then resolved to appoint a committee to act with the national committee of the Peoples party to call a national convention to nominate a president and vice-president of the United States. After a decision by the chair that it had nothing to do with the prohibition question the convention then adjourned.

The above is only a brief summary of the great conference. A national convention was called to meet at Omaha, Nebraska, on July 4, 1892.

Of the meeting Harry Tracy, a Texas delegate says:

"It was the grandest meeting I ever witnessed and it was composed of the finest lot of men I ever met as a whole. The meeting was composed of delegates from every labor organization in the union. The labors of the conference were directed solely in trying to agree upon a set of demands. A committee of about 100 was selected from the entire body. A platform of demands was unanimously reported and unanimously adopted by the conference. All of the political parties of this country will have a chance to indorse or reject them. We did not endorse any political party, in fact could not do it because the several constitutions prohibited it. There was no partisan political action taken, none presented and none discussed. The political party that indorses them is sure to get the reform vote of this country.

To Plant an Iowa Colony.

HASKELL, Haskell county, Tex., Feb. 25.—A gentleman is here to close a deal for 64,000 acres of land in Haskell county for the purpose of settling a colony on it. They will put in a flouring mill of seventy-five barrels capacity at the town of Haskell.

Alabama Outlaws.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 25—Information comes from the wilds of Blount county of the desperate work of an organized band of barn and house burners. It appears that recently Mrs. McMurray and her daughter, who bore bad reputations, were ordered by a band of regulators to leave Blount county or abide the consequences. Similar warnings written in blood were also sent to men who were suspected of being too intimate with the women. The warnings were not heeded, and the barn of Bill Farrington, with its contents, were burned, and the house of the McMurray woman was laid to ashes, the woman narrowly escaping with her life. Next a letter was written to Hill Hale, warning him to leave at the peril of his life. A corner of the letter was dipped in blood, and another corner burned as a warning of what would follow if he failed to heed the order. Sheriff Morris and a posse got in pursuit of the regulators, who were led by Bud McMurray, a relative of the women. The outlaws sought refuge in a cave, where a pitched battle occurred, in the darkness between them and the officers. Fifty shots were exchanged, and it is thought that two of the outlaws were wounded, but they all managed to escape by an opening unknown to the officers. Excitement runs high and threats are freely made to lynch the regulators if they are captured.

CREEDE, Col., Feb. 24.—While Prospector Brandle was working over Batchellow monutain he stumbled upon a find which raised him in a moment from comparative poverty to opulence. His find was a cavern, the roof of which, vaulted and hanging with stalactites, showed croppings of pure silver ore running $10,000 to the ton. This chamber is 50 feet wide and 200 feet long and contains enough ore on the surface to make Brandle a millionaire. Besides silver the cavern contains utensils, skeletons and remains, evidently those of cliff dwellers, but the antiquarian discovery is lost in interest in the phenomenal silver find.

Mexico's Latest Claim.

BENSON, Ariz., Feb. 23.—Considerable comment has been aroused by the statement of a prominent Mexican official of the State of Senora, Mex., en route from Hermosillo to the City of Mexico, that a resurvey of the international boundary line would throw sixty miles of American soil into Mexican jurisdiction. This change would include the large towns of Tucson, Yuma, Tombstone, Nogales, Bisbee, Widox, Benson, Gila Bend and many smaller ones, also San Diego, Cal., and as far north as San Juan and Capis Ranch. An immense amount of valuable mining property would also come under the new deal; also, the entire line of the Southern Pacific railroad in Arizona.

Deep Water Discussion.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—The Transmississippi congress convened, and after receiving a number of resolutions the subject of deep water hrrbors was discussed.

Governor Hubbard and Messrs. Crawford and Gresham of Texas, spoke at great length in favor of government appropriations to deepen harbors of Galveston, Velasco, Aransas and Sabine.

A Fool's Wager Lost.

CLARKSVILLE, Mo., Feb. 25.—Sam Mitchell, a well khown young man about town, on a wager of $1 attempted to board the north-bound Denver train and, missing his footing, was badly crushed beneath the wheels. He will lose one limb and possibly his life.

Carriage Works Burned.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 27.—A fire in the factory and storerooms of the National Carriage company, West Pearl street, completely burned out the contents. Loss estimated at $40,000; insurance $30,000.

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A Novel Wedding.

TOM BEAN, Grayson county, Tex., Feb. 28.—A novel wedding took place here this afternoon at the residence of C. Burks, the father of the bride. The contracting parties were Mr. S Spears of Denison and Miss Nancy J. Burks of this place. Both are deaf mutes. Rev. Lane officiated. The ceremony was performed in writing.

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THE NEW YORK ROBBERY.

Perry Gives a Description of His Exploit.

ALBANY, Feb. 29.—A Rochester special gives an interview with Oliver Curtis Perry, the train robber in jail at Lyons. He told the story of both robberies. Of the last one he said:

"Four days previous to the last job I was in Syracuse, where I had boarded at different places. In the evening of the robbery I went to a theater and enjoyed myself as well as I could. About midnight I went down to the depot and hung around until No. 31 came in. This is the train I robbed. I watched the messengers' cars and saw there was a safe in each one partly under the freight, one near the door. I knew the safe in the end contained money and was sure there was money in the other. I did not know where the messenger was, although I had seen him once or twice.

"As the train was ready to pull out I made across the tracks and got away up in the yard out of the electric light and on the opposite side from the depot. The express pulled out that morning, and when it reached the freight yard was going ten or fifteen miles an hour. I jumped on the car ahead of the messenger. As I did not care to wait for him I crawled over the first car and went to the platform at the end of McIney's car. I strapped my valise to the railing and with the end of the strap attached my derby hat through a hole in the sweat band to the railing. Then I took from my satchel my mask and tied it tight around my neck. I took out my rope ladder, a kind of fire escape invention of my own, and attached the hook to the car on the opposite side. I strapped the big frontier revolver, which I always carry, through my cartridge belt, through my overcoat. The revolvers I put in my overcoat within easy reach in case I dropped the big one. I got upon the railing and putting my hands on the roof swung to the car. I attached the hook on the roof of the car and peeked over the edge to see if the messenger had taken any alarm. He was all right and I swung down another rope ladder over the edge. Both hands were free and I tried to hold to the edge of the roof, but the train was going forty miles an hour and the wind was so strong I was blown away from the car several times and once I narrowly missed striking a bridge. I looked ahead all the time though and could see obstructions by the light of the locomotive. I wore kid gloves and my hands became so numbed with the cold that when I drew my big revolver I found that I could not cock the pistol. I rubbed my hands while I slapped my sides until I got the circulation of blood. While doing so I looked through the glass panels of the door and saw the messenger's face. He did not see me.

When I got inside the car I leveled my gun at him, and as he raised his revolver and held it leveled at me with both hands at arms length; he ducked his head as I fired and the bullet grazed his forehead. He dropped his revolver and rushed for the forward end. When he pulled the cord twice, and while attempting to pull it a third time, I fired and shot him in the arm. He stepped over to where his gun lay on the floor and as he reached it paid no attention to my command to throw up his hands. I fired again, the ball striking him. I stooped down and feeling around on the floor gathered up some loose way bills and papers and putting them in a pile struck a match and then stepped quickly to one side, expecting him to blaze away. But as the papers blazed up and I looked around I could not see him anywhere. On the floor lay his revolver, half cocked. He had not fired a shot. I took some bills and threw them on the blazing pile and then climbed over the express matter and found the messenger hidden there. I saw there was blood on his hands. I commanded him to light the lamp. "Yes," said he, "I'll do anything you say if you will not kill me." He said he was a poor boy and had tried to do his duty. I told him I had no idea of killing him if he did as I told him. He began groaning and I asked him if I had hurt him badly? He said not bad, "but for God's sake don't shoot again. I'll do anything you ask."

Great Fruit Trust.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The Tribune publishes this: P. B. Armstrong, who has gone to California to form a great fruit trust, has publicly given an outline of his project. The investment is estimated at $500,000,000, to be divided into shares of $100 each, proprietors of land to be entitled to subscribe in proportion to the value of their property bears to the whole. It is proposed to issue a first-mortgage bond, bearing not to exceed 8 per cent. interest, redeemable if desired by the corporation after ten years, and payable in thirty,

This plan, it is computed, would give the fruit-growers of California from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000 to enlarge their product. It is also proposed to have the stocks and bonds listed on the New York Stock exchange. Mr. Armstrong points out that the plan would equalize returns to producers when certain sections suffered from drought, wet or vermin.

Alliance Purchase.

DENTON, Tex., Feb. 27.—The Denton Alliance Milling company has purchased the stock on hand of the Davenport mill of this place, including wheat, sacks, corn, etc., approximately for $20,000. The buildings will probably be utilized for a cottonseed oil mill, as it is reported that a move is now on foot with that end in view.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 27.—The Post publishing company, Albert J. Barr president and James Mills editor, defendants in the Quay libel suit, were refused a new trial and sentence imposed.

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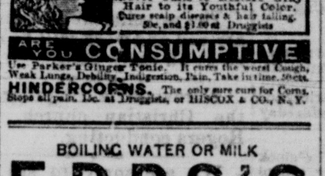

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A Statement as to the McKinney Club's Action.

McKINNEY, Tex., Feb. 20.—[To THE NEWS.]—In your issue of the 7th instant is an article from your reporter at this place which misrepresents. I would have given it a notice sooner, but for the want of time. It is generally conceded that the News wants all sorts of facts and wants them fairly stated, and that is what its readers desire and what they are entitled to.

The reporter might as well have given the resolution he referred to, for it was short and in these words:

"Resolved, that it is the sense of this club that the financial relief demanded by the business interest of the country is not to be met by the measures of the third party, but that the same is to be accomplished by the reduction of tariff, by the free coinage of silver and the payment of government deficiencies in full legal tender treasury notes redeemable in gold or silver coin." Just what there was in such a resolution to be denominated "the Culberson idea" remains to be explained. If there is anything in it, the paternity of which can be ascribed to Col. Culberson, it should have been pointed out, for we are all willing to accord to each and every member of our able delegation in congress all the honors they have won and if there is anything in the resolution that is particularly Culbersonian he should have the full credit due him for it.

In the close of the article referred to is the language: "Mr. Mack is the gentleman popularly credited with having pledged Collin's three vote to Mr. Mills at Waco. What the result of boosting the ideas of Mr. Culberson will be, remains to be seen." Taking the whole article together and reading between the lines, it simply aims to make it appear that the democratic club here is indorsing Culberson and that in offering the resolution, notwithstanding my statement at Waco that the three votes of this county are for Mills, I did so in the interest of Culberson, or that it would have that result.

At a recent and well attended meeting of our democratic club a resolution indorsing Mr. Mills for the senate passed unanimously, your reporter, so far as I have ever been able to learn, being the only member of the club then present who opposes Mr. Mills, and he retired with ease and dignity just before the vote was taken This he failed to take notice of in his report to the News. Also I will state that I did say at Waco that the three members from this county were for Mills for senate, and I now repeat what I then said, that they will vote for him at the extra session. I will state now why I said so then and still say so: 1. Because these three gentlemen have so stated to me and to a large number of their constituents, and I am confident they will make their word good, They have pledged themselves to their constituents to vote for Mills and on their pledges their constituents can speak for them. Secondly, the representatives and senator from this county will vote for Mr. Mills because fully two thirds of the demoerats of this county favor his election to the senate. True there is opposition to him here in Collin county. About one-third of our good democrats for reasons of their own prefer some one else. The republicans are against him because he opposes the present high protective tariff and they favor it. The advocates of the subtreasury oppose him because he gave their wildcat financial scheme a fearful overhauling two years ago, from which it has not yet fully recovered. And there is another miscellaneous element without party, name or place, who call themselves democrats but can always be relied on to vote against the nominees of the party and in many other ways demonstrate their disloyalty to the party. These are opposed to Mills because the democrats are for him. The democracy of this county, and as far as can be judged from the indication throughout the state, is for the Hon. R Q. Mills for United States senator and it is not unsafe to predict that he will be elected without great trouble.

The small and unfair methods resorted to to compass his defeat will not accomplish that end. The people of Texas know him too well to be driven away from him by the misrepresentations of his enemies. Combinations will prove impotent and unavailing. Nor will the calling of the extra session of the legislature, in such haste, after a along and unexplained delay of the performance of that public duty by the governor, do the work for Mr. Mills. The manifest purpose of this action was to bring on the senatorial election as near as it could be calculated, at the time when the free silver excitement in congress would be at its highest pitch, and thereby arouse some under prejudice against the coming senator; but like all other desperate schemes it will fail of its purpose.

H. C. MACK.

Unworthy of notice--A Sarcastic Writer.

ALLEN Feb. 22, 1892.

Editor Democrat.

I copy the following from the Kansas City Times:

"Three bills of alliance senators were reported back yesterday, and all three were classed with the doomed. Two of them were deemed not even worthy of a moments debate. Thus do Peffer and Kyle, make their marks on the pages of the nation's history."

Why of course senator Morrill and his alwise and infalible finance committee could see no right in a measure which would only benefit farmers and workingmen.

I have no doubt these good and wise men would have spared the miserable farmers the humiliation of this public rebuke, had it lain in their power. But those wretched alliance men brought it upon themselves by their wicked and foolish agitation. They went so far in two states as to capture the legislatures and elect two vulgar farmers to the United States senate, to desecrate that holy spot by repeating the pleadings of their ignorant constituents. Such sacrilege was never before spoken within those sacred walls. Base blasphemies uttered against the Golden Gods of this August body must be rebuked. Wonder is that more severe measures were not taken to punish these two heretics, but here is shown the mild and gentle disposition of the great Morrill, and his sweet tempered colleagues. Peffer and Kyle were "set upon," but in the mildest manner possible, and no bodily harm was done them. For this, they and their foolish followers should ever feel thankful. Peffer and Kyle must learn that the "great senate" is no place to mention the name "farmer" or "laborer" or to discuss matters pertaining to them. "The great" senate has higher and nobler duties to perform. Again, we should feel thankful to that wise, righteous moral educator, the K. C. Times for its implied information that you alliance men are a set of fools.

The editor of this great paper has a head full of brains, and the very air in his vicinity is pregnant with wisdom. You need not again be under the necessity of exposing your ignorance before the national congress, if you will first consult this great man, before presenting your claims. Farmers be contented with your lot. What if cotton is but five cents per pound, and you can't pay off the mortgage on the farm? Work harder and don't be so extravagant. Make your wife get along with two calico and one worsted dress a year. Make one suit of Sunday clothes for yourself last you three years, and maybe you can save at least enough next year to pay the interest on your mortgage. What if our congressmen do get five thousand dollars for an average of five months work in a year. They are great men and worthy, while you are nothing but an ignorant farmer.

Be meek and humble and submit to the powers that be, and if you finally starve to death, there is a land beyond the skies, where there is happiness for those servants who obey their master.

I. M. WILLING (?)

Willow Spring's Bulletin-Ready to Defend.

Editor Democrat:

The health of Lucas is not good at present. Grandpa Spurgin is not well.

Mr. Jack Moss, the proprietor of the Lucas trading post, has been ill for quite awhile, not able to attend to his store, but his ever vigilent partner, J. D Morrow, may be seen at most all hours behind the counter. He and his clerk, Ben Snider are busy most of the time.

Notwithstanding, old grippe's strong hand is in the neighborhood, our farmers are still alive in the interest of the farms. Mr. John Bowman has a farm of 175 acres, most of which has been turned lately; this I suppose is about an average for our farmers.

While our farmers are laboring on their farms, they are thinking and studying the impositions practiced on their class of laborers. They read the different newspapers and find so many poor people suffering for the want of food and clothing. They see accounts of so many homesteads mortgaged to foreign capitalists; and they see trouble everywhere of this kind, and will ask, what is the cause of all this? We hear answered on all sides, "bad management, trifliness and lazziness of farmers; indolence of laborers;" and then, when they ask the questions, why is cotton so low? Why is all products so low? Why can't a man make a living and stay out of debt in his agricultural pursuits? Then the answer is, overproduction, they raise more than can be consumed. Then they see that one lie is told to brace another. If it is "lazziness and idleness," why is there such overproduction? If there is such overproduction, why is there so many hungry and half clad people in the republic?

I'll tell you kind readers this what makes our people alliance members. They are flocking in from all sides; farmers are getting their eyes open, they see their doom if they don't act, and that at once. I'll tell you, this little order that sprung up here in our Lone State State, has produced an earthquake, that is felt through out the whole Republic of the United States. Yea, it is shaking old England. It has caused a mighty jar in the very city of London. Our farmers have studied all this, and they are alliance men from A to Z, etc Now Mr. Editor if you have any politicians up there, who are contrary to any principles of the alliance, just send them down to Willow Springs and we have talent here, that can knock every bit of the anti from them, they can curry them so slick that you would think they were race horses, when they returned.

HORSEFLY.

WASHINGTON DAY.

With Cunningham in the Schoolroom.

In the afternoon of Feb. 22, the writer in company with his school (Wetsel) visited the Whites Grove school without a minute's previous warning we walked into the schoolhouse, to find Mr. Cunningham engaged with a language class a part of his regular daily exercise. The visiting school was seated at a single tap from the class bell, all was quiet and the recitation was resumed without any seeming embarrassment to either pupils.

On call for grammar class A. The members of that grade from both schools took their place at the black board and clearly demonstrated the diffiiency of parallel grading in schools.

Prof. Cunningham managed the two classes equally as successfully as he could have done his own separately.

A RECESS.

was given during which the two schools intermingled in jestive sport. After which the pupils engaged in an hours spelling showing great proficiency in that direction.

The visiting school then took their leave, inviting the Grove school to visit them in turn Altogether it was a pleasant affair for all and a day never to be forgotten by the pupils, and one of those little oases too seldom thrown into the teacher's great desert life.

SCIPIO.

OIL ON THE WATERS.

The Gray and the Blue Have Harmonized

THE ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE

And Peace Reigns—Platform of Principles Placed Before the People, Brief and Pointed, Listened to With Breathless Silence by Those Present.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 25.—The most exciting and important session of the great National Industrial conference was expected to take place, but a blue and gray mass meeting, into which the convention resolved itself before grappling with the platform, temporarily poured oil upon the troubled waters. Commander Van Devort of Nebraska, for the Union veterans present in the convention, pledged President Polk, for the old Confederate soldiers in attendance, that they would join hands to bury sectional hate and a treaty, if such it might be termed, was ratified in speeches by ex-Senator Van Wyck of Nebraska and Ben Terrell of Texas.

Amid almost breathless silence the convention listened, while I. Donnelly, full voiced, began impressively to read the platform. The platform puts forth for union and independence and says:

1. We declare the union of the labor forces of the United States today accomplished, to be permanent and perpetual. May its spirit enter into all hearts for the salvation of the republic and the uplifting of mankind.

2. Wealth belongs to him who creates it. Every dollar taken from industry without equivalent is robbery. "If any man will not work, neither shall he eat." The interests of the rural and urban laborer are the same; their enemies identical.

3. We demand a national currency safe, sound and flexible, issued by the general government only, which shall be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and that, without the use of banking corporations, a just and equitable medium of circulation shall be provided at a tax not to exceed 2 per cent as set forth in the sub-treasury plan of the Farmers' Alliance or some better system; also by payments in discharge of its obligation for public improvements.

4. We demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

5. We demand that the amount of the circulating medium be speedily increased to not less than $50 per capita.

6. We demand a graduated income tax.

7. We believe that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible, in the hands of the people, and hence demand all national and state revenues be limited to the necessary expenses of government economically and honestly administered.

8. We demand that postal savings banks shall be established by the government for safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

9. Your sub-committee on a land plank be to submit for approval the following: Land, including all the natural resources of wealth, is the heritage of all the people and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All lands now held by railroads and other corporations in excess of their actual needs, and all lands owned by aliens, should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.

10. Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people.

11. The telegraph and telephone, like the postoffice system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

12. We demand the government issue legal tender notes and pay union soldiers the difference between the price of the depreciated money he was paid and gold.

Resolved, That we hail this conference as the consummation of a perfect union of the hearts and hands of all sections of the common country; men who wore the gray and men who wore the blue meet here to extinguish the last smoldering embers of the civil war in the tears of joy of a united and happy people, and we agree to carry the stripes and stars forward forever to the highest point of national greatness."

The wildest excitement took place after the reading of the platform. One of the suspected "vampires of corporations" on the floor attempted to edge in a motion amending the document and was immediately ejected from the hall. The platform was then adopted without one dissenting voice. It was then resolved to appoint a committee to act with the national committee of the Peoples party to call a national convention to nominate a president and vice-president of the United States. After a decision by the chair that it had nothing to do with the prohibition question the convention then adjourned.

The above is only a brief summary of the great conference. A national convention was called to meet at Omaha, Nebraska, on July 4, 1892.

Of the meeting Harry Tracy, a Texas delegate says:

"It was the grandest meeting I ever witnessed and it was composed of the finest lot of men I ever met as a whole. The meeting was composed of delegates from every labor organization in the union. The labors of the conference were directed solely in trying to agree upon a set of demands. A committee of about 100 was selected from the entire body. A platform of demands was unanimously reported and unanimously adopted by the conference. All of the political parties of this country will have a chance to indorse or reject them. We did not endorse any political party, in fact could not do it because the several constitutions prohibited it. There was no partisan political action taken, none presented and none discussed. The political party that indorses them is sure to get the reform vote of this country.

To Plant an Iowa Colony.

HASKELL, Haskell county, Tex., Feb. 25.—A gentleman is here to close a deal for 64,000 acres of land in Haskell county for the purpose of settling a colony on it. They will put in a flouring mill of seventy five barrels capacity at the town of Haskell.

Alabama Outlays.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 25—Information comes from the wilds of Blount county of the desperate work of an organized band of barn and house burners. It appears that recently Mrs. McMurray and her daughter, who bore bad reputations, were ordered by a band of regulators to leave Blount county or abide the consequences. Similar warnings written in blood were also sent to men who were suspected of being too intimate with the women. The warnings were not heeded, and the barn of Bill Farrington, with its contents, were burned, and the house of the McMurray woman was laid to ashes, the woman narrowly escaping with her life. Next a letter was written to Hill Hale, warning him to leave at the peril of his life. A corner of the letter was dipped in blood, and another corner burned as a warning of what would follow if he failed to heed the order. Sheriff Morris and a posse got in pursuit of the regulators, who were led by Bud McMurray, a relative of the women. The outlaws sought refuge in a cave, where a pitched battle occurred, in the darkness between them and the officers. Fifty shots were exchanged, and it is thought that two of the outlaws were wounded, but they all managed to escape by an opening unknown to the officers. Excitement runs high and threats are freely made to lynch the regulators if they are captured.

CREEDE, Col., Feb. 24.—While Prospector Brandle was working over Batchellow mountain he stumbled upon a find which raised him in a moment from comparative poverty to opulence. His find was a cavern, the roof of which, vaulted and hanging with stalactites, showed croppings of pure silver ore running $10,000 to the ton. This chamber is 50 feet wide and 200 feet long and contains enough ore on the surface to make Brandle a millionaire. Besides silver the cavern contains utensils, skeletons and remains, evidently those of cliff dwellers, but the antiquarian discovery is lost in interest in the phenomenal silver find.

Mexico's Latest Claim.

BENSON, Ariz., Feb. 23.—Considerable comment has been aroused by the statement of a prominent Mexican official of the State of Senora, Mex., en route from Hermosillo to the City of Mexico, that a resurvey of the international boundary line would throw sixty miles of American soil into Mexican jurisdiction. This change would include the large towns of Tucson, Yuma, Tombstone, Nogales, Bisbee, Widox, Benson, Gila Bend and many smaller ones, also San Diego, Cal., and as far north as San Juan and Capis Ranch. An immense amount of valuable mining property would also come under the new deal; also, the entire line of the Southern Pacific railroad in Arizona.

Deep Water Discussion.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—The Transmississippi congress convened, and after receiving a number of resolutions the subject of deep water hrrbors was discussed.

Governor Hubbard and Messrs. Crawford and Gresham of Texas, spoke at great length in favor of government appropriations to deepen harbors of Galveston, Velasco, Aransas and Sabine.

A Fool's Wager Lost.

CLARKSVILLE, Mo., Feb. 25.—Sam Mitchell, a well khown young man about town, on a wager of $1 attempted to board the north-bound Denver train and, missing his footing, was badly crushed beneath the wheels. He will lose one limb and possibly his life.

Carriage Works Burned.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 27.—A fire in the factory and storerooms of the National Carriage company, West Pearl street, completely burned out the contents. Loss estimated at $40,000; insurance $30,000.

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A Novel Wedding.

TOM BEAN, Grayson county, Tex, Feb. 28.—A novel wedding took place here this afternoon at the residence of C. Burks, the father of the bride. The contracting parties were Mr. S Spears of Denison and Miss Nancy J. Burks of this place. Both are deaf mutes. Rev. Lane officiated. The ceremony was performed in writing.

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THE NEW YORK ROBBERY.

Perry Gives a Description of His Exploit.

ALBANY, Feb. 29.—A Rochester special gives an interview with Oliver Curtis Perry, the train robber in jail at Lyons. He told the story of both robberies. Of the last one he said:

"Four days previous to the last job I was in Syracuse, where I had boarded at different places. In the evening of the robbery I went to a theater and enjoyed myself as well as I could. About midnight I went down to the depot and hung around until No. 31 came in. This is the train I robbed. I watched the messengers' cars and saw there was a safe in each one partly under the freight, one near the door. I knew the safe in the end contained money and was sure there was money in the other. I did not know where the messenger was, although I had seen him once or twice.

"As the train was ready to pull out I made across the tracks and got away up in the yard out of the electric light and on the opposite side from the depot. The express pulled out that morning, and when it reached the freight yard was going ten or fifteen miles an hour. I jumped on the car ahead of the messenger. As I did not care to wait for him I crawled over the first car and went to the platform at the end of McIney's car. I strapped my valise to the railing and with an end of the strap attached my derby hat through a hole in the sweat band to the railing. Then I took from my satchel my mask and tied it tight around my neck. I took out my rope ladder, a kind of fire escape invention of my own, and attached the hook to the car on the opposite side. I strapped the big frontier revolver, which I always carry, through my cartridge belt, through my overcoat. The revolvers I put in my overcoat within easy reach in case I dropped the big one. I got upon the railing and putting my hands on the roof swung to the car. I attached the hook on the roof of the car and peeked over the edge to see if the messenger had taken any alarm. He was all right and I swung down another rope ladder over the edge. Both hands were free and I tried to hold to the edge of the roof, but the train was going forty miles an hour and the wind was so strong I was blown away from the car several times and once I narrowly missed striking a bridge. I looked ahead all the time though and could see obstructions by the light of the locomotive. I wore kid gloves and my hands became so numbed with the cold that when I drew my big revolver I found that I could not cock the pistol. I rubbed my hands while I slapped my sides until I got the circulation of blood. While doing so I looked through the glass panels of the door and saw the messenger's face. He did not see me.

When I got inside the car I leveled my gun at him, and as he raised his revolver and held it leveled at me with both hands at arms length; he ducked his head as I fired and the bullet grazed his forehead. He dropped his revolver and rushed for the forward end. When he pulled the cord twice, and while attempting to pull it a third time, I fired and shot him in the arm. He stepped over to where his gun lay on the floor and as he reached it paid no attention to my command to throw up his hands. I fired again, the ball striking him. I stooped down and feeling around on the floor gathered up some loose way bills and papers and putting them in a pile struck a match and then stepped quickly to one side, expecting him to blaze away. But as the papers blazed up and I looked around I could not see him anywhere. On the floor lay his revolver, half cocked. He had not fired a shot. I took some bills and threw them on the blazing pile and then climbed over the express matter and found the messenger hidden there. I saw there was blood on his hands. I commanded him to light the lamp. "Yes," said he, "I'll do anything you say if you will not kill me." He said he was a poor boy and had tried to do his duty. I told him I had no idea of killing him if he did as I told him. He began groaning and I asked him if I had hurt him badly? He said not bad, "but for God's sake don't shoot again. I'll do anything you ask."

Great Fruit Trust.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The Tribune publishes this: P. B. Armstrong, who has gone to California to form a great fruit trust, has publicly given an outline of his project. The investment is estimated at $500,000,000, to be divided into shares of $100 each, proprietors of land to be entitled to subscribe in proportion to the value of their property bears to the whole. It is proposed to issue a first-mortgage bond, bearing not to exceed 8 per cent. interest, redeemable if desired by the corporation after ten years, and payable in thirty.

This plan, it is computed, would give the fruit-growers of California from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000 to enlarge their product. It is also proposed to have the stocks and bonds listed on the New York Stock exchange. Mr. Armstrong points out that the plan would equalize returns to producers when certain sections suffered from drought, wet or vermin.

Alliance Purchase.

DENTON, Tex., Feb. 27.—The Denton Alliance Milling company has purchased the stock on hand of the Davenport mill of this place, including wheat, sacks, corn, etc., approximately for $20,000. The buildings will probably be utilized for a cottonseed oil mill, as it is reported that a move is now on foot with that end in view.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 27.—The Post publishing company, Albert J. Barr president and James Mills editor, defendants in the Quay libel suit, were refused a new trial and sentence imposed.

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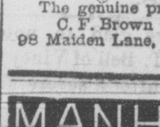

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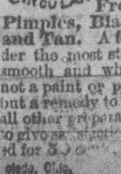

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